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1863
12th Mo

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 3rd of 12th mo 1863.

The accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford monthly meetings are present, by which it appears that they have appointed the following named friends as [illegible] Dartmouth, Jesse Tucker, Isaac P. Wilbur and Holder Shearman, from New Bedford Charles [illegible] all present.

The account from Sandwich [illegible] produced to this meeting at this time, neither the records of our last meeting.

The Clerk being absent the assistant Clerk is requested to serve in his stead at this time.

The Queries have been read with answers to the first, second and tenth from the monthly meetings that are now represented in this meeting.

Yearly meeting Extracts

We have at this time received Extracts from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, as follows

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England held at Newport in Rhode Island by adjournments from the 11th of 6th mo to the 17th of the same inclusive. 1863

Fourth day of the week and 17th of the month.

The large number of friends at present required by our Discipline to constitute a meeting for Sufferings having claimed our attention at this time in connection with the [illegible] and scattered of our Society, after a time of deliberation [illegible] It is agreed that our Discipline in that respect be so far altered as to provide that not less than fifteen members shall compose that meeting, and that at least seven members shall be present for the transaction of business.

The Committee appointed at our last sitting to examine and settle the account of the Treasurer and for that purpose presented the following report. ——— which was read and accepted, and [illegible] is accordingly appointed Treasurer [illegible] meeting for the ensuing year, and our several Quarterly Meetings are requested to forward to him their respective [illegible] One hundred and twenty five dollars, the sum concluded upon to be raised, - it being agreed that the proportion of Rhode Island Quarterly Meeting shall be fifty per cent, that of Salem and

1863 Dover Thirty-five per cent, and that of Sandwich fifteen per cent.

Extracted from the minutes, and signed by direction and on behalf of the Yearly Meeting, Valentine Hunt Clerk

Sandwich Quarterly meeting's proportion being fifteen per cent is Eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents. — Which have been read and are acceptable to the meeting. — it appears by which that our proportion of Yearly Meeting's stock is Eighteen dollars and seventy five cents. which our Treasurer is directed to pay to the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting when the state of the treasury will permit.

We have received at this time a report from the Committee appointed to settle with the Treasurer and for other purposes which is as follows. — To Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends.

The Committee appointed to examine and settle the Treasurer's account and to propose a name for Treasurer report. That they have examined the account and find a balance in his hands of nine dollars and one cent, which is the same as last year, there having been no receipts or payments made in that time.

They propose Thos K. Wilbur for Treasurer for the ensueing year, which is submitted to the Quarterly Meeting. Geo. M. Eddy } Committee
Dartmouth 6th 24th 1863. Jesse Tucker }

which is acceptable and Thos K. Wilbur is accordingly appointed Treasurer of this Meeting for the ensueing year or until another appointment. — and Geo M. Eddy and Jesse Tucker are appointed as a committee to pay the like attention and report at the usual time next year.

By a report received from part of the representatives it appears that they have been together and propose that this meeting raise the sum of Thirty-five dollars for the expences of the Quarterly Meeting the the ensueing year, and that the proportion be the same as last year, viz. Dartmouth 55 per cent. Nantucket 30. and New Bedford 15 per cent. and our several monthly Meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions to Thos K. Wilbur our Treasurer. and the assistant Clerk is directed to furnish them with a copy of this minute from the minutes of this meeting.

The Committee reports, have received [illegible]

1863 our Quarterly meeting in [illegible] Clerk refused to read them, which may account for their being delayed until the present time. We also refused the Extracts from the minutes of the Yearly Meeting

The subject of certain transactions that took place in our Quarterly meeting in both seventh and tenth months has been alluded to, and after a time of deliberation Concern it is proposed and united with for the present we feel clear to leave with a Statement of facts as they transpired and leave it to our next Quarterly meeting.

Having accomplished the business brought before us, we conclude, fun proving to meet if consistent with the Discipline at this place at the usual time in Fifth month next.

Thos K. Wilbur assistant Clerk.

1864 4 mo 6 At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 7th of 4th mo 1864.

The accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings are present by which it appears that were appointed the following named Friends as representatives to this meeting. from Dartmouth, Thos K. Wilbur Isaac P. Wilbur and Geo. M. Eddy from New Bedford Stephen Wright and Francis Taber all present.

The representatives having been [illegible] Thos K. Wilbur for Clerk of this meeting and John Bonelly assistant Clerk, which were separately considered and accordingly appointed to those services for one year or until another appointment.

There has been no account presented from Nantucket Monthly Meeting at this time

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have been read and a Summary of the answers concluded on which is thought to rest in our favor state, and is directed to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our friends Thos K. Wilbur, Stephen Wright, Jesse Tucker, Abbie and Geo. M. Eddy. whom we have appointed as our representatives and they are requested to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

Answers to Queries. With the exception of the mid week

1864 meetings in one particular meeting, all our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been duly held, and attended on first days by nearly all, whose health would permit, those in the middle of the week and for discipline are more neglected. The hour has been pretty well observed. Some appearance of sleep in a few at times. Of other unbecoming behaviour nearly clear. Love and unity are maintained by most, who endeavour to guard against detraction. When differences have occured endeavours have been used to end them. - A concern rests on the minds of friends to bring up those under their inplainness, and to restrain them from unprofitable reading and conversation, who are in a good degree exemplary themselves. We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in friends families. Friends have a care to confine the use of spirituous liquors to medicinal purposes, and are generally careful as to the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort. Moderation and temperance are observed by most according to the query. The circumstances of the poor are attended to. We know of none placed out. We believe friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage should be conformable to our discipline. Most friends are careful to maintain our testimonies in the several parts of this query. The several parts of this query are attended to by most. Our records are attended to, a few removals without certificate. Some care taken as to dealing with offenders as queried after, and a concern is felt to place judgment in the authority of Truth according to our discipline.

We have received information that Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have paid their proportion of Quarterly Meeting's stock to our Treasurer.

Our Treasurer informs that our proportion of Yearly Meeting's stock has been paid to the Treasurer of that meeting.

The representatives as requested by a minute of our last Quarterly Meeting have now presented a statement of some facts as they occurred at the time of our Quarterly Meeting in the seventh month at Nantucket which has been read and is approved, and the Clerk is directed to enter it on our records, and forward a copy with our account to our next Yearly Meeting, which is as follows.

To Nantucket Quarterly Meeting of Friends

Dear Friends- The representatives appointed as a Committee by the Quarterly Meeting, in [illegible] to attend to the concerns of [illegible] ns at the two previous Quarterly Meetings, held in Nantucket in Seventh and Tenth months, now Report; That the Clerk opened the meeting in the Seventh month by the acknowledgement of the [illegible] from Nantucket only, and made a minute stating, in substance, that in consequence of the Clerks of [illegible] meetings having identified themselves with a party out of the Society, the meeting could not acknowledge fellowship with them, or with the members of said meetings, or consider them any longer as Friends.

This extraordinary minute was made by the Clerk as being the judgement of the meeting, without any previous allusion having been made to the subject; by which it appears he was willing to assume the right to cut off, thus summarily, two entire Monthly Meetings and their members, from the Society, for the sole reason that the Clerk had, as he without cause alledged identified themselves as aforesaid.

The Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting also rejected the extracts from minutes of the yearly Meeting directed to our several Quarterly [illegible] and also a report from the representatives on the state of the finances of the Quarterly Meeting &c, usually presented at that time. He likewise rejected the report from the committee to examine into and settle the Treasurers account, who were directed, by minute of the [illegible] to report at the same time. It may be proper to state here, that but one member of the Quarterly Meeting expressed unity with the Clerk in the course pursued, which Friend was one who, with our Clerk and a few other Friends, withdrew from our late Yearly Meeting, and assembled together by themselves in a meeting on exclusive Friendly principles. However, expressed their disapprobation of the clerk's course, [illegible] as disorderly and reprehensible. In the course of the meeting, a communication was improperly read by the clerk, which appeared to have emanated from the aforesaid separate meeting, and was recommended by him as satisfactory, notwithstanding the objections of some concerned Friends to the same. At the Quarterly Meeting in the Tenth month, the Clerk being absent the assistant clerk was about to proceed to the business in the usual manner, but such is [illegible] Friend stated, that the representatives from Nantucket had been to meet, and had concluded to propose Peleg Mitchell as Clerk. On this being announced, Peleg Mitchell advanced to the table without

1864 invitation, and without any unity being expressed therewith; on the contrary, some friends stated it to be an unusual and improper mode of proceeding, as it was always first in order for the assistant clerk to open the meeting, before any appointment could be made, Peleg Mitchell, however, having the records of the meeting in possession, persisted in making his own minute of appointment; after which he called the names of the representatives from Nantucket only, making no allusion to those either from New Bedford or Dartmouth, and pursued the same course in relation to the accounts from those meetings. Friends formerly protested against the course here pursued by Peleg Mitchell, believeing it to be entirely subversive of right order, and, inasmuch as it did not receive the expressed sanction of any Friend present, it appeared to them to be a clear case of assumption of individual control not recognized in meetings of discipline by Friends. Near the close of the last mentioned meeting Peleg Mitchell introduced and pursued a proposition for changing the place of holding the succeeding Quarterly Meeting, from Nantucket to New Bedford, which is being, as stated more select. This resulted in his making a minute of adjournment to meet next at Nantucket, the twelfth month instead of New Bedford where it has been usual for us to meet, as directed by our Yearly Meeting minutes and in the book of discipline. This direction of discipline was not heeded, although directly refered to by Friends at the time. In view of the aforesaid disorderly proceedings, and believeing that they chiefly, if not wholely, attributable to the acts of said Friends who assumed the control at said meetings, and through which acts they openly manifested their insubordination to our discipline, and to the Yearly meeting from which they had also previously separated, and identified themselves with a separate body, as before stated. Therefore it is the judgment of this committee, that all the undisciplinary acts perpetrated at those meetings, which affect the rights of subordinate meetings or their members, as also that of changing the place holding the Quarterly Meeting, shall not be binding upon said subordinate meetings or the members thereof.

All of which the committee submit to the meeting. — On behalf of the representatives

John Gradle

1864 The unsettled state of things as they occurred at the time of the Quarterly Meeting at Nantucket in the Seventh and tenth months last was brought before the meeting by the report of [illegible] prepared by the representatives, at the request of our last Quarterly Meeting, and after a time of deliberation thereon, it is the conclusion of this meeting to ask the Yearly Meeting to change the place of holding our Quarterly Meeting in the Seventh month, and this meeting unites to New Bedford, in which the women's meeting unites.

Book to be procured

The Clerk is left at liberty to procure a suitable book to record the doings of this meeting, and call on the Treasurer for the expence.

The business brought before us not being accomplished we adjourn this meeting, to meet at this place the 18th of 6th month next at 2 o'clock in the after noon, if so permitted in Providence answer to our application to the Yearly Meeting, asking for a change in the place of holding our Quarterly Meeting in Seventh and Tenth months

Signed by William C. Coffin

Seventh day afternoon the 18th Friends assembled according to adjournment

The names of the representatives being called [illegible] present except one.

We have received at this time the following Extract from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, which has been read and is satisfactory, and the Clerk is directed to enter it on record, viz.

Extract

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England held in Rhode Island by adjournments from the 13th of 6th month to the 16th of the same inclusive. 1864.

Second day of the week and 13th of the month.

We have received at this time from Sandwich Quarterly Meeting, the following report from a Committee appointed by that meeting, in relation to the proceedings of the Select [illegible] and some others associated with him at the Quarterly Meeting at Nantucket in the 7th and 10th months of last year namely

And after a time of deliberation thereon it is the sense of this meeting that the proceedings appear to have been disorderly and contrary to the provisions of our Discipline, and so far as they relate to the rights or duties of meetings or the individual members thereof, they are void and of no effect. And that Quarterly Meeting having requested that the place of holding our

1864. meeting in the 7th and 10th months should be changed from
[illegible] their request, and it is directed that that meeting be hereafter
so held, the women's Yearly Meeting concuring herein.

From the Minutes of the Yearly Meeting

Valentine Meader Clerk to the meeting
this year

No further business coming before us we conclude to adjourn
to meet again at this place at the usual time 7th mo
next if so permitted. Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

7 mo

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in
New Bedford 7th of 7th mo 1864.

Accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly
Meetings are present by which it appears that the follow-
named friends are appointed as representatives to this
meeting, from Dartmouth, Thos K. Wilbur, John B. Hath-
way & Geo M. Eddy, from New Bedford, Stephen Swift and
John Soule, whose names being called they are all pres-
ent.

There is neither an account or representatives pres-
ent from Nantucket monthly Meeting.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and tenth from
Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have been
read

The committee appointed to settle with the Treasurer and
propose the name of a friend for that [illegible] have presented the
following report viz.

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends

The undersigned Committee appointed to audit and
settle the Treasurers account and propose a Treasurer, report
that they have attended to the same, and find a balance in
his hands of [illegible] dollars, and were united in propos-
ing Thos K. Wilbur for Treasurer. - which we submit to the
Quarterly Meeting Geo M. Eddy
Dartmouth 7mo 27th 64 - Jesse Tucker } Committee
which is satisfactory to the meeting, and Thos K. Wilbur is
accordingly appointed Treasurer of this meeting for the en-
suing year, and [illegible] appointed [illegible] Jesse Tucker

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pose and are requested to report at the usual time next year.

Yearly Meeting

We have received at this time Extracts from the minutes of the last yearly Meeting, which have been read, and satisfactory answers. At our yearly Meeting of Ministers and Elders held on Rhode Island by adjournments from the 13th to the 15th of the same inclusive 1864.

Third day of the week and fourth of the month.

During the time required by the meeting in the consideration of the state of society, Friends were brought under painful exercise in consequence of the many deficiencies exhibited in the answers to several of the queries and a living concern was felt and expressed, that all our members may endeavour to manifest that plainness and simplicity in dress and address which will befit the true Christian Character, looking above and beyond that adornment of the outward man and a conformity to the world for that peace which it can neither give nor take away.

Allusion was also made to the deficiencies reported in the answers to the Seventh Query, and the dear youth were encouraged, with others, to maintain a faithful testimony to the peaceable and harmless character of the Gospel dispensation, and to endeavour through Holy Help, should they be called under the conscription Laws, to endure with patience and fortitude what sufferings may be in store for them—maintaining their integrity, in the certain assurance that [illegible] blessed cause they thus seek to promote will support them through all, and finally overrule their sufferings for good.

The Committee appointed at our sitting yesterday to examine and settle the Treasurers account, conclude upon a suitable sum to be raised for the expences of the meeting this year, propose a Friend for treasurer, have produced the following report, viz.——— which is approved, and George M. Eddy is accordingly appointed treasurer of this meeting for the ensuing year, and our several Quarterly Meetings are requested to pay to him their respective proportions of Sixty dollars, the sum concluded upon to be raised, and the Clerk is directed to furnish those meetings respectively with a copy of this minute.—Extracted from the minutes and signed by direction and on behalf of the Yearly Meeting by

Valentine Meader Clerk to the meeting this year

Sandwich Qy. M's proportion is 15 per cent. = 9.50

1864 Our Treasurer is requested to pay our proportion of Yearly Meetings stock to the Treasurer of that meeting when the state of the treasury will permit.

The representatives report that they have been instructed by this meeting for the Quarterly Meeting to raise twenty five dollars for the ensueing year, and our Monthly meetings are requested to forward their respective proportions of that sum to Thos K. Wilbur our Treasurer and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with a copy of this minute and sign it on behalf of this meeting. except Nantucket Monthly Meeting, it having failed to forward its proportion of last years stock.

Geo M. Eddy on behalf of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting, reports that they all attended.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th mo next.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

At a Quarterly Meeting held at James Austins in New Bedford 6th of 10th mo 1864.

Accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have been received, the representatives therein named to this meeting are from Dartmouth Thos K. Wilbur, John B. Rowland and Geo M. Eddy, from New Bedford Stephen Swift and Gideon Wilbur, whose names being called they are all present.

There has been no account received at this time from Nantucket Monthly Meeting.

The Queries with answers to the 1st and 10 from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have been read.

Committee to examine records &c The former Clerk, James Austin still continues indisposed & the records and papers belonging to this meeting, for this reason, we appoint John Rowland and Geo M. Eddy a committee for this time, who when received before them to examine and report to a future meeting.

No further business coming before us we conclude, purposing to meet at the usual time in 12th month next at this place.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

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12th mo

[illegible] monthly meeting of Friends held in [illegible] the 1st & 2d of 12th mo 1864.

The accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings are present by which it appears that the eleven named friends are appointed as representatives to this meeting, [illegible] Gideon Allen, Geo. H. Tucker, Geo. Colby and Jesse Tucker, [illegible] Bedford Stephen Swift and Gideon Allen, whose names being called are all present.

The Queries with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings were read

No account has been received at this time from Sandwich monthly meeting

We are informed that Dartmouth Monthly Meeting has paid its proportion of Quarterly Meeting's Stock to the Treasurer.

No further business coming before us, we conclude to adjourn to meet at this place at the usual time in the next.

Thos. K. Allen Clerk.

1865
4th mo

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in [illegible] Bedford 6th of 4th mo 1865.

We have received accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings. The representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are, from Dartmouth Thos. K. Allen, Geo. Colby and Jesse Tucker, from New Bedford Stephen Swift Gideon Allen & John Boadle, whose names being called are all present.

Friends appointed

The year for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed having expired, the representatives meeting together, propose the name of Thos. K. Allen for Clerk, & John Boadle for assistant Clerk, which is [illegible] considered, and they are accordingly appointed to those services for the ensueing year or until another appointment.

The Queries with [illegible] Dartmouth and New Bedford monthly Meetings were then read [illegible] of the answers concluded on, which is thought to describe our present state, and is directed to be forwarded to our next yearly Meeting by our friends Thos. K. Allen, John Boadle, Geo. H. Colby, Stephen Swift and Jesse Tucker, whom we appoint as our representatives & are requested to report to our next Quarterly meeting.

1853 [illegible] Queries.

[illegible] have been duly held, and have been attended generally by the greater part of Friends. The hour has been pretty well observed. Some appearance of sleth. Of other unbecomeing behaviour mostly clear.— Love and unity are maintained by most. who endeavour to guard against detraction, endeavours have been used to end differences when they have occured. Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behaviour, and apparrel, to discourage the reading of pernicious books and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and are generally exemplary. [illegible]

Spiritous liquors are confined to medicinal purposes as far as appears, and friends are mostly careful as to the unnecessary inticing frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, who observe the other parts of the query. The circumstances of the poor are attended to. None are placed out that we know of. It concern is felt that all proceedings with respect to marriage shall be conformable to our discipline. We endeavour to bear a faithful testimony against the payment of Priests wages. Three instances of bearing arms have come to our knowledge as reported from meeting, none of them are at present within our reach. The other parts of the query are observed, Friends are generally careful in the several parts of this query. Our records are attended to. Some have removed without certificates; mostly to places beyond our reach. Some care taken as to dealing with offenders as queried after, and there is a concern felt to place judgment in the authority of Truth according to our discipline, yet there some cases that need further attention.

There has been no account received at this time from Nantucket Monthly meeting

New Bedford Monthly Meeting informs that their proportion of Quarterly meetings stock has been paid to our Treasurer.

We have received at this time a report from the Committee appointed in 10th month last to call for the books and papers belonging to this meeting, now in the hands of the former Clerk. which is as follows.

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Report of committee to call for books &c

Dear Friends— The undersigned Committee appointed to request the books and papers of James Austin the former Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting now report, that they have written him upon the subject, but he declined in reply that he was still Clerk of said meeting, and declined to accede to our request.— Which we submit to the Quarterly Meeting.

Geo. M. Eddy
John Boadle } Committee

New Bedford 3rd mo 27th 1865.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet at this place in 7th month next. Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

7th mo

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 6th of 7th mo 1865.—

We have received at this time accounts from Dartmouth and New Bedford [illegible] Representatives [illegible] appointed to attend this meeting are from Dartmouth 18th M. [illegible] Geo. M. Eddy and Jesse Tucker, from New Bedford Gideon Wilbur and John Boadle, whose names being called, are all present.

The Queries with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings have been read, which were thought to describe their present state as far as they extended.

One of the representatives to the yearly meeting reports that they all attended except one who was prevented from attending by sickness.

We have received at this time an Extract from the minutes of our last yearly Meeting which is as follows.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England held on Rhode Island by adjournments from the 12th of 6th month [illegible] 1865.

Third day of the week and thirteenth of the month.

The Committee appointed at a previous sitting to examine and settle the accounts of the Treasurer and for other purposes. [illegible] this sitting, that Geo. M. Eddy is re-appointed Treasurer of this meeting for the year ensuing, and our several Quarterly Meetings are requested to pay to him the sums respectively apportioned to them, and he is directed to receive donations of sixty dollars, the sum concluded upon to be raised, and the Clerk is directed to furnish [illegible]

meetings received with a copy of this minute.

Extracted from the minutes and signed by direction and on behalf of the Yearly Meeting, by Valentine Hoag Clerk.

[illegible] and in Our Meeting [illegible] Sixty cents is Seven dollars and fifty cents.

It has been read and is satisfactory, by which it appears that our proportion of Yearly Meetings stock is Seven dollars and fifty cents, and our monthly meetings are requested to [illegible] and the Clerk is directed to furnish Dartmouth and New Bedford Monthly Meetings with a copy of this minute.

Our Treasurer is directed to pay our proportion of Yearly Meeting's stock to the Treasurer of that Meeting when the state of the Treasury will permit.

The subject of a reappointment of the Trustees of the Meeting house and lot in South Dartmouth that belongs to this Meeting coming before us, we appoint Isaac P. Wilbur, John Boadle, and Jesse Tucker to take the subject into consideration, and they are requested to propose names to our next Quarterly Meeting if they find nothing to hinder for new Trustees.

No further business coming before us, we conclude, pausing to meet at this place at the usual time in 10th mo next.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

10th mo [illegible] Monthly Meeting [illegible] met in New Bedford 5th of 10th mo 1865.

We have received accounts from each of our monthly Meetings except Nantucket. The representatives appointed to this Meeting are, from Dartmouth, Isaac P. Thos K. Wilbur and Geo. H. Eddy, from New Bedford Gideon Wilbur and John Boadle, whose names being called, all are all present.

The Queries have been read with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth and New Bedford monthly Meetings, which are said to describe the present State of those meetings respectively, as far as they extended.

The [illegible] with the Treasurer's account [illegible] Treasurer was unable to [illegible] report, viz.

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account and propose a Treasurer report that they have attended to the same, and find a balance of one dollar and one cent in his hands to the credit of the Quarterly Meeting. The committee also propose [illegible] to Treasurer which he submit to the Quarterly Meeting

Geo. M. Eddy
7th mo 8th 1865. Jesse Tucker } Committee

ted as a committee to render the like service and report at the usual time next year.

The Committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting on account of a change in the Trustees that now hold the South Meeting house and lot for this meeting now made the following report. viz.

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting.

The Committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting to take into consideration the [illegible] Trustees [illegible] and lot in South Dartmouth have been together and are agreed in proposing the names of Stephen Swift, George M. Eddy and Isaac P. Tilton for that service.

On behalf of the Committee John Doadie.

No. Dartmouth 10th mo 3rd 1865.

report, and approves of the names therein proposed for new Trustees, viz, Stephen Swift, Geo. M. Eddy and Isaac P. Tilton, and the same committee is desired to attend to making the transfer, and if any expence should be incured, that they are left at liberty to call on our Treasurer for the amount and report when accomplished.

New Bedford Monthly Meeting. We have received at this time a request from New Bedford Monthly meeting, that the members thereof be annexed to Dartmouth Monthly meeting, if the latter named meeting approves of the same, after a time of deliberation thereon, we appoint [illegible] to the care in its different parts. [illegible] Dartmouth [illegible] may appear necessary as to the holding the meetings in future

1865 in conjunction with a committee from the women's meeting if they should see it to appoint one, to report to our next Quarterly meeting, & this meeting unites.

The Clerk is directed to furnish the committee with a copy of said minute on their behalf.

No further business coming before us, we conclude to meet next Winter at this place at the usual time of holding our Quarterly meeting.

Thos. H. Wilbur Clerk.

12th Mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 7th of 12th mo 1865.

The accounts from each of the monthly meetings except Nantucket are present. The representatives Darmouth appointed to attend this meeting are, from Darmouth Thos. H. Wilbur, Geo. H. Eddy and Samuel Tucker, from New Bedford Gideon [illegible], all present except one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned.

The Queries have been read with answers to the first [illegible] meetings.

Darmouth monthly meeting in its account informs that its proportion of Stock has been paid to our Treasurer.

Our Treasurer informs that our proportion of Quarterly Meeting's Stock has been paid to the Treasurer of that meeting.

The Committee appointed last Quarter on account of [illegible] is accepted as satisfactory, and [illegible] Monthly Meeting granted, it is the further conclusion of this meeting that said meeting be dissolved at its next sitting and that the united meeting take place the succeeding month at Darmouth, and the usual Committee is appointed to attend New Bedford monthly Meeting at the time of its dissolution and that of Darmouth when the first united meeting takes place in order to render any assistance that may be [illegible] appointed by the womens meeting. They are also requested to see that the books and papers are transferred to Darmouth

1865 monthly meeting also all unfinished business that may remain, and report to this meeting when accomplished, with which the women's meeting unites. The Clerk is requested to furnish a copy of this minute

Thos K. Hillier Clerk

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 4th month next.

Thos K. Hillier Clerk.

United in its proper place on the left hand page 16
to Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends.

Dear Friends— The Committee appointed on account of a request of New Bedford Monthly Meeting, that its members be [illegible] to the object of their appointment, a part of the Committee [illegible] assent to the anexation; and we are all united in proposing that Dartmouth monthly meeting, after the anexation be held four times in each year at New Bedford, and that it be held in the months that next precede the one in which the Quarterly Meeting is held, which will be the second, sixth, ninth and eleventh months, and that the time of holding the monthly meeting remain as at present, the fourth fourth day in each month.

Which we submit to the meeting.

On behalf of the Committee John Beadle

Dartmouth 6th of 11th mo 1865 Lydia S. Barnard

1866. at ... Dudley, Medin ... Friends. held in
4th Mo. New Bed. ord 5th & 4th Mo 1866

We have received the account ... Dartmouth monthly
meeting ... representatives therein appointed ... and this ...
... were ... Thomas T. Jesse Hoxie and John S. Wadle. ... as
being called were present.

No account has been received from Nantucket monthly meeting
at this time

In the absence of the Clerk, Stephen Swift on behalf of the
representatives ... Howland Wilbur ... Clerk, ... the
day, which was united with by the meeting and he was accordingly appointed.

The Queries were read at this time, with answers thereto
from Dartmouth monthly meeting, which are deemed satisfactory
... the meeting, which are directed to be forwarded to our next
Yearly Meeting by our friends, Jesse Hoxie, John S. Wadle, Stephen
Swift and Howland Wilbur, whom we appoint as our representatives
thereto, and they are requested to report their attendance to our next.
Quarterly Meeting.

... are to inform. With the exception of the mid week week meeting
at Little Compton, and one meeting for worship in one of our
preparative meetings on account of indisposition and inclemency
of weather, all our meetings for religious worship and discipline have
been held, and attended generally by the greater part of Friends.

... order has been pretty well observed; - Some ... appearance of
... unbecoming behaviour mostly ... Love and unity ... appear
to be in a good degree maintained, and detraction guarded against,
... care has been felt in regard to differences when they have occurred
... friends are concerned to labor with those under their care in plainness
... speech, behaviour, and apparel, also to refrain from ... reading
... pernicious books, and from corrupt conversation, and to be
... circumspect exemplary therein themselves. The duty enjoined
in Friends' Epistles. We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of
... spirituous liquors except for medicinal purposes, also to ... frequenting ... towns and places of public resort, and to observe
... other parts of this query. ... Medium is said to be poor, & hard to
... sell out. We believe that parents and heads of families have extended
a care in this particular, although there have been two cases of marriage out of the order of society. We know of no instances of the

1866 payment of priests wages, although there are a few instances of attending of other religious societies, We believe friends are careful in the other parts of this query, except in relation to bearing arms, as refered to in our answers of last year. We think friends are careful in the several parts of this query. The records are kept, some removals without certificates under circumstances as stated to last year. While friends are concerned in regard to this important subject, we fear there has been some delay in timely attending to this duty in some cases. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

The Committee appointed to attend Dartmouth and New Bedford monthly meetings on account of vexation, make the following report, viz. To Sandwich Quarterly, meeting of friends.

Dear friends- The committee appointed in 12th month last to attend the meeting of New Bedford and monthly meeting now report, that they attended New Bedford and Monthly meeting at the time of its dissolution and rendered such assistance as appeared necessary, and they also attended the stated meeting at Dartmouth. We further report that the records of New Bedford and monthly meeting were delivered to Dartmouth monthly meeting by the clerks thereof.

Which we submit to the meeting. John Soule
On behalf of the Committee —— Alice Wilbur

Dartmouth 5th, 4 mo 1866.

which is satisfactory to this meeting, and was united with by women friends

The Clerk is directed to make all necessary extracts from these minutes of this meeting and direct them to the next meeting.

No other business coming this meeting concludes to meet again at this place at the usual time in 7th mo next

Geo. M. Eddy Clerk for the day

1866. At Sandwich Quarterly meeting of friends held in 7th mo at New Bedford 5th d. 7th mo 1866. The account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting is insent, by which it appears that the following named friends are appointed as representatives to this meeting. Stephen Swift, Jesse Tucker and Gideon Hillis whose names being called they are all present.

We have received no account from Nantucket monthly meeting at this time.

The year for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed having expired. The representatives propose the name of Wm R. Hillis for Clerk and John Hoadle for assistant Clerk, whose names were separately considered, were united with and they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively, for the ensueing year or until another appointment

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth monthly meeting have been read.

Jesse Tucker on behalf of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting [illegible].

We have received at this time an Extract from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting which is satisfactory and is as follows, viz. At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held on Rhode Island by adjournments from the 10th of the 6th month to the 13th of the same inclusive 1866.

Second day of the week and 11th of the month.

The Committee appointed at our morning sitting to examine and settle the Treasurer's accounts, and for other purposes presented the following report, namely — which is satisfactory to the meeting, and George M. Eddy is accordingly appointed [illegible]. All Quarterly Meetings are requested to pay to him their respective proportions of twenty-five dollars, the sum concluded upon [illegible] respectively a copy of this minute.

Signed by direction and on behalf of the meeting

Valentine Meader Clerk

[illegible] is three dollars and seventy five cents.

1866, the treasurer of no meeting is now the State of the treasury will permit.

The committee appointed to settle with the treasurer, and report the name of a friend for that service now made the following report, viz.

[illegible] meeting of friends.

Dear friend,— The committee appointed to examine and settle the treasurer's account, and report a treasurer, herewith report, that the account has been correctly kept, and a balance remains in the hands of the treasurer [illegible] submit to the 2d meeting.

Geo. M. Eddy.
Jesse Richer, Committee

which is accepted and Thos K. Wilbur is accordingly appointed as Treasurer of this meeting for the ensueing year or until another appointment, and the same friends, Geo. M. Eddy and Jesse Richer [illegible] requested to the usual time next year.

The representatives having been together, propose that this meeting raise Eight dollars for the use of the meeting the ensueing year, which was united with, and the Clerk is directed to furnish Dartmouth monthly meeting with a copy of this minute, and that meeting is requested to pay that amount to our Treasurer.

No further business coming before us, we conclud, this meeting to meet at this place, at the usual time in tenth month next if [illegible]

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

10th mo At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in [illegible] 10th mo 1866.

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are, Thos K. Wilbur Geo. M. Eddy and Isaac P. Wilbur whose names being called, they are all present.

No account has been received at this time from [illegible] meeting.

The Queries with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting have been read, the answers were thought to describe their present state as far as they extended.

[illegible] in proportion of Quarterly meetings stock has be paid to the

1866. Treasurer of this meeting.

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 2nd month next

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

12th mo 6th Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 6th of 12th mo 1866. — We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly meeting by which it appears that the following named Friends are appointed representatives to this meeting, viz. Geo. M. Eddy and Isaac P. Wilbur, whose names being called in, are all present.

No account has been received from Nantucket Monthly meeting at this time.

Our Treasurer informs that our proportion of Yearly Meeting's stock has been paid to the Treasurer of that meeting.

No further business appearing, we conclude, further to meet again at this place at the usual time in 2nd month next

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

4th mo 4th Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 4th of 4th mo 1867. The account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting is present, by which it appears that the following named Friends are appointed as representatives to this meeting, viz. Thos K. Wilbur, John Hoadley, and Gideon Allen, whose names being called, these are all present.

There is no account from Nantucket Monthly Meeting at this time.

At this, the usual time, the appointment of the quarterly, one of the representatives proposed the name of Thos K. Wilbur for Clerk and of John Hoadley for Assistant, whose names being severally considered, were united with, and severally appointed to those services respectively for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

The Queries have been read at this time with the answers sent from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting which are thought to describe our present state and are directed to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our friend, Thos K. Wilbur, Geo. M. Eddy, Isaac P. Wilbur, John Hoadley and Stephen Swift, whom we appoint as our representatives thereto, and they are desired to report their

1867. next quarter.

Answers to the queries. — Our meetings for worship & discipline have been duly held, except two meetings for wor-

ship, which were attended generally by a greater part of mind & suitable heath. Silence has been pretty nearly observed. Some allowance of sleep at times. Other unbecoming behaviour mostly clear. — Love and unity appear to be maintained in a good degree and detraction is guarded against, & care is had in regard to differences when they have occurred. Friends endeavour to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behaviour, and apparel, and to restrain them from reading pernicious books, and from corrupt conversation,

Friends families. We believe that Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and to observe moderation & temperance on the occasions referred to. The circumstances of the poor are

and heads of families have used endeavours in this particular, yet there have been some cases of marriage out of the order of society, there may have been instances of the payment of priests wages, as there are a few who attend meetings of other religious societies, yet most Friends are careful in the several parts of this query, in relation to bearing

mostly to places beyond our limits. Although Friends feel a concern in regard to this important subject, yet we fear there has been some

has been placed since our last account.

No further business appearing, we conclude, by proposing to

Wm. Williams Clerk.

7th mo[illegible] ord 4th & 7th mo 1867.

We have received the account from Sandwich Monthly Meeting. The representatives therein named to this meeting are George M. Eddy, Gideon Miller, Stephen Smith & Nathan Kidder whose names being called they are all present.

There is no account at this time from Nantucket Monthly Meeting.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting have been read, which were said to describe their present state as far as they extend.

George M. Eddy, on behalf of the representatives to this Yearly Meeting, reports that they all attended.

We have received at this time the following extract from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, viz.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held on Rhode Island, by adjournments from the 16th of the 5th [illegible] 1867.

Third day of the week and 18th of the month.

The Committee appointed at a previous sitting to examine and settle the Treasures account, and for other purposes, presented the following report, namely — which is satisfactory to the meeting and the recommendations therein contained approved, George M. Eddy is accordingly appointed treasurer of this meeting for the year ensueing, and our several Quarterly Meetings are requested to pay to him their respective proportions [illegible] the Clerk is directed to furnish those meetings respectively with a copy of this minute.

Extracted from the minutes of the Yearly Meeting.

[illegible]

Sandwich Quarterly Meetings proportion being 15 per cent is Three and 75/100 dollars.

which is satisfactory to the meeting, our Dartmouth Monthly Meeting is requested to pay Three and 75/100 to the Treasurer of this Meeting. The Clerk is requested to furnish that meeting with a [illegible]

11th mo 3rd - 11th mo 1867. - An account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting has been received, by which it appears that Thomas Russell and Wm. S. Rotch were appointed their representatives, namely, Thos. R. Hillier, Stephen Smith and Geo. M. Eddy, none names being called, they are all present.

The assistant Clerk being absent Geo. M. Eddy is appointed to that service for the time.

There is no account received from Sandwich Monthly Meeting at this time.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting have been read.

The Committee appointed to examine and settle the treasurers account and for other purposes mentioned the following, viz: namely - of Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends. -

We the undersigned Committee appointed to examine and settle

and a balance in his hands of Two dollars and fifty cents. -

We also propose Thos. R. Hillier for Treasurer. - Geo. M. Eddy.

Dartmouth 9th mo 21st 1867. - Jesse Tucker - Committee

which is acceptable and Thos. R. Hillier is accordingly appointed Treasurer this meeting for the ensuing year.

Appointments and the same friends, Geo. M. Eddy and Jesse Tucker are appointed for a similar service, and are requested to report to this meeting in 7th month of next year.

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again in 12th mo next at this place at the usual time.

Thos. R. Hillier Clerk.

New Bedford 5th of 12th mo 1867.

The account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting is

were appointed as representatives to this meeting viz: Thos.

1867. The assistant Clerk being absent & no Clerk pro tem is appointed

Quarterly meetings stock has been paid to our treasurer.

The queries with answers to the 1st & 2nd queries from the monthly meetings have been read. The answers were thought to describe their present state as far as they extended.

No further business appearing, we conclude to adjourn to meet again in 4th month next at this place, at the usual time if so permitted Thos. K. Wilbur Clerk

1868
4th mo. } At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in [illegible] 2nd & 3rd mo 1868. An account from Dartmouth monthly meeting has been received, by which it appears that the following named friends were appointed to attend this meeting as representatives, viz, Gideon Allen, Stephen Swift and Isaac Archer, whose names being called, they are all present.

There is no account from Sandwich monthly meeting at this time

The time for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed having expired, and the representatives having been called over and recorded, they propose the name of Thos K Wilbur for Clerk and of George H. Eddy for assistant Clerk, which were severally considered, and united with, and they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

We have with us at this time in attendance a number of a committee appointed by our last Select & early meeting who presented the following extract of a minute, namely.

A concern for the appointment of a committee to visit the Quarterly and Monthly Meetings within the limits of this Yearly Meeting as may open, for the encouragement and strengthening of the members particularly in regard to the maintainance and right administration of the discipline, having been introduced at this time, and the subject claiming the solid and weighty consideration of this meeting, it was united with, and William Hall Jr. Wilbur, Charles Allen, Nathan Sisson Jr, Mary Tucker, Phebe Foster, Lydia Smith and Alice Hallowell are appointed a committee for that purpose, who are requested to report to the meeting next year.

1867. Extracted from the minutes of our Yearly Meeting of Ministers and Elders for New England held at Newport on Rhode Island 19th of 6th mo 1867. Ethan Foster Clerk

which was read, and their company has been satisfactory to us.

The queries have been read at this time, with answers thereto from [illegible] and are directed to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting [illegible] and they are desired to report their attendance next quarter.

Answers to queries. — All our meetings for religious worship & discipline have been duly held, except three for worship, one for discipline, on account of inclemency of weather, and have been attended generally by the greater part of Friends belonging. The hour has been pretty well observed. Some appearance of sleep at times. Of other unbecoming behaviour mostly clear. Love and unity appear to be maintained by many we hope as far as appears, and guarded against, a care is felt in regard to differences. Of which no recent case appears to exist. Friends endeavour to bring up their children under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel and to restrain them from reading pernicious books and from vain conversation, and are generally exemplary themselves. Scriptures are read in Friends families. We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and to observe moderation and temperance on the occasions refered to. The circumstances of the poor are attended to some placed out that we know of. We believe that Friends are concerned that all proceedings with regard to marriage should be conformable to our discipline. Most Friends are careful in regard to Priests wages, yet there are a few instances of attending and joining meetings of other religious societies. As to hearing ministers [illegible] from one meeting, and that the individuals are not willing in their reach. Friends endeavour to be careful as we believe in the several parts of this query. The records are attended to, some have removal certificates, mostly to places beyond our correspondance. Although friends [illegible] concern in the important subject of this query [illegible]

[illegible]

We have received the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are, Geo. M. Eddy, Jesse Tucker and Stephen Smith now are present

There is no account from Nantucket Monthly meeting.

The Queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth monthly meeting, Salem, Lake Quarterly meeting, Vermont, describe their present state as far as they extend.

We have received at this time the following Extract from the minutes of our last Yearly meeting, viz.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held in Rhode Island by adjournments from the 14th of 6th month to the 17th of the same inclusive 1863.

Second day of the week and 15th of the month.

The committee at our morning sitting to examine and settle the Treasurer's account, agree upon a suitable sum to be raised for the service of the meeting this year and propose a [illegible] which is united with, Geo. M. Eddy is accordingly appointed treasurer of this meeting for the year ensueing, and our several Quarterly Meetings are requested to pay to him their respective proportions of Twenty-five dollars, the sum agreed upon to be raised, and the Clerk is directed to furnish those meetings respectively with a copy of this minute.

Extracted from the minutes of the Yearly Meeting by

[illegible]

Dartmouth Quarterly meetings proportion being 15 per cent is Three dollars and seventy five cents.

[illegible] is satisfactory — [illegible] Three dollars and seventy five cents [illegible] meeting is received [illegible] the Treasurer of this meeting, and the Clerk is requested to furnish that meeting with a copy of this minute.

10th Mo. at Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 1st of 10th mo 1868.

We have received the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting. the representatives therein named to this meeting are. Thos K. Wilbur, Geo. M. Eddy, and Gideon Wilbur who are all present.

There is no account from Nantucket monthly meeting present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth monthly meeting have been read. the answers were thought to describe their present state as far as they extend.

The Committee appointed to settle with the Treasurer, propose the name of one for the ensueing year, now presented the following report, namely. –

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends.

The Committee appointed in 7th mo 1867. to settle with the Treasurer and for other purposes. now report, that they have examined the Treasurer's account and find the same correctly kept, and that there is a balance in his hands of Six dollars and $\frac{26}{100}$. And further they propose the name of Thos K. Wilbur for Treasurer the ensueing year.

Geo. M. Eddy
Jesse Tucker } Committee

which is acceptable to the meeting, and Thos K. Wilbur is accordingly appointed Treasurer of this meeting for one year or until another appointment, and Geo. M. Eddy and Jesse Tucker are appointed to perform the same service and report to this meeting in 7th mo next.

Having no further business, we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place, at the usual time in 12th mo next if so permitted.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

Treasurer appointed

1868. 12th mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 3rd of 12th mo 1868.— The account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting has been received, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting, are Thos K. Wilbur Stephen Swift and Geo. M. Eddy, whose names being called they are all present.

There is no account from Nantucket monthly meeting at this time The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th queries from Dartmouth Monthly meeting have been read. The answers were thought to describe their present state as far as they extend.

Our Treasurer informs that he has paid our proportion of Yearly Meeting's stock to the Treasurer of that meeting and the Clerk is requested to forward that information in our next account. also to acknowledge the reception of an Extract from the minutes of that meeting, which was acceptable.

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 4th mo next

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

Yearly Meeting's Stock, paid

4th Mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 1st of 4th mo 1869. We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly meeting. The representatives therein named to attend this meeting are, Gideon Wilbur, Jesse Tucker and Geo. M. Eddy, whose names being called they are all present.

Nantucket Monthly Meeting is not represented at this time.

The time for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed having expired, the representatives having been together, they propose the name of Thos K. Wilbur for Clerk and Geo. M. Eddy for assistant Clerk, which being separately considered and united with, they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively for the ensueing year or until another appointment.

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth Monthly meeting have been read, the answers were thought to describe their present state and are directed to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our Friends, Geo. M. Eddy, Isaac P. Wilbur and Jesse Tucker, whom we have appointed as our representatives, and they are requested to report their attendance next quarter.

Answers to queries— All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been duly held, except in one particular

1869 meeting. several of which have not been held on account of the smallness of their number and the feeble health of some. they have generaly been attended by the greater part of friend of suitable health. The hour mostly observed. Some appearance of sleep in a few at times. Other unbecoming behaviour mostly clear. Love and unity appear to be maintained by nearly all, and detraction mostly guarded against as far as appears. Some care has been taken in regard to differences. Most friends endeavour to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparrel and to restrain them from pernicious reading and from corrupt conversation, and generally are exemplary themselves. We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in friends families. We think that friends are careful to avoid the use of spiritous liquors except for medicine and also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and to observe moderation and temperance on the occasions refered to. The circumstances of the poor are attended to. None are placed out that we know of. There has been no new cases of marrying since our last account. Most friends are careful in regard to Priests wages, yet there are a few instances of attending and joining other religious societies, and there are two or three cases of bearing arms by members who live at a remote distance that have not been attended to. We believe that friends endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this query. The records are attended to. No removals since our last account. Although friends continue to feel a deep concern on the important subject of this query, yet there has evidently been a delay in the timely attention in a few cases. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet again at the usual time in 7th mo next at this place.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk

7th mo. at Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 1st of 7th mo 1869. We have received the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting. the friends therein named as representatives to this meeting are Gideon Wilbur, Geo. N. Eddy and Jesse Tucker, whose names being called they are all present.

There is no account from Nantucket monthly meeting at this time.

1869. The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth monthly meeting have been read, the answers were found to represent their present state as far as they extend.

We have received at this time an Extract from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting, which has been read and is satisfactory, it is as follows.

At our Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held on Rhode Island by adjournments, from the 14th of 6th month to the 16th of the same inclusive 1869.

The Committee appointed at our morning sitting to examine and settle the treasurer's accounts and for other purposes have presented the following report, namely, —— which is united with, and the recommendations therein contained adopted, George M. Eddy is accordingly appointed Treasurer of this meeting for the year ensueing and our several Yearly meetings are requested to pay to him their respective proportions of Twenty five dollars, the sum agreed upon to be raised, and the Clerk is directed to furnish those meetings respectively with a copy of this minute. From the minutes of the yearly meeting,

Valentine Meader Clerk.

Sandwich Quarterly Meetings proportion being 15 per cent is Three dollars and Seventy-five cents.

by which it appears that our proportion of Yearly Meetings Stock is Three dollars and Seventy-five cents which our Treasurer is directed to pay to the Treasurer of that meeting, and Dartmouth monthly meeting is requested to forward that amount to our Treasurer. The Clerk is requested to furnish that meeting with a copy of this minute

The Committee appointed to settle with the Treasurer, propose the name of one to serve the meeting the ensueing year now presented the following, namely.

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends

The Committee appointed last year to settle with the Treasurer and for other purposes now report, that his account has been correctly kept and that a balance remains in his hands of Six dollars and twenty six cents, and they propose T. & K. Hillman for Treasurer for another year

Geo. M Eddy
Jesse Tucker } Committee

Dartmouth 6mo 29. 1869

which is accepted to the meeting and T. & K. Hillman is accordingly

1869. appointed Treasurer for the ensuein[illegible] year or until another appointment. Geo. M. Eddy and Jesse Tucker are reappointed to attend to the same service and to report to this meeting in 4th mo next.

Geo. M. Eddy on behalf of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

Our Treasurer informs that he has paid to the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting Three dollars and Seventy-five cents, in his proportion of stock for 1869. and the Clerk is requested to forward that information in our account to the Yearly Meeting next year, also of the reception of the Extract now received.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 10th month next

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

10th mo. 4 Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held in Bedford 7th of 10th mo 1869.

We have received the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting, the representatives therein named attend this meeting viz, Thos K. Wilbur, Gideon Wilbur and Geo. M. Eddy, who are all present.

There is no account from Nantucket monthly meeting at this time.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth monthly meeting have been read, the answers were thought to represent their present state as far as they extend.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 12th mo next.

Thos K. Wilbur Clerk.

New Bedford

1870

4th Month. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford Fourth Month 7th 1870

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly meeting, and the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are Gideon Wilbur Jesse Tucker and Geo M Eddy, whose names being called they were all present

Nantucket Monthly meeting is not represented at this time

The time for which the Clerks of this meeting were appointed having expired, the representatives have been together and took into consideration the request of Thos K Wilbur to be released from serving longer as Clerk on account of ill health at this time, thereupon they proposed George M Eddy for Clerk and Isaac P Wilbur as assistant Clerk, which being severally considered was united with, and they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively for the ensuing year, or untill another appointment

Clerks appointed

— The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth monthly meeting have been read, and the answers thereto were thought to discribe their present State, and are directed to be forwarded to our next yearly meeting by our friends Jesse Tucker Isaac P Wilbur and Geo M. Eddy who are appointed our representatives there.; and they are requested to report their attendance next Quarter

— By the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting it appears that their proportion of Stock has been paid to the Treasurer of the Quarterly meeting

Answers to Queries. (1st) All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been duly held, excepting those at New Bedford, which owing to the smallness of their numbers and feeble health of some, but few meetings have been sustained. — Other meetings have generally been attended by the greater part of Friends of suitable health; The hours mostly observed; — But little appearance of sleep. — Clean of other unbecoming behavior.

Ans 2nd Love and unity appears to be maintained by nearly all, and detraction mostly guarded against as far as appears; Although care has been bestowed in regard to difference our case continues to remain unsettled.—

Ans 3d.— Most Friends endeavour to bring up those under their care in plainness of Speech, behaviour and apparel, and to restrain them from frequenting needless and from unprofitable conversation, and are generally exempt themselves.—
We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families;

Ans. 4th.— We believe that Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, and also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns, and places of public resort, and to observe moderation and temperance on the occasions referred to

Ans. 5th. The circumstances of this query are attended to, — None are placed out that we know of

Ans. 6th. There have been no new cases of marrying since our last account

Ans. 7th. Most Friends are careful in regard to Priests Wages, yet there are a few instances of attending and joining other religious societies, and two or three cases of bearing arms by members who live at remote distances that have not been attended to.

Ans. 8th.— We believe that Friends endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this Query

Ans. 9th. The records are attended to; No removals since our last account

Ans. 10th Although Friends feel a deep concern in the important subject of this Query, yet there has evidently been a delay in the timely attention in a few cases.— No judgement has been laid since our last account

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet again at the usual time at this place in 7th Month next

Geo M Eccey clerk

1870. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford Seventh Month 7th 1870

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting and the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Gideon Wilbur, Jesse Tucker and Geo M Easby, whose names being called, they were all present excepting one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was assigned

Nantucket monthly meeting is not represented at this time

The Queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th. from Dartmouth Monthly meeting and answers thereto were read and read, and the answers thought to represent the state of the meeting so far as they extend

We have rec'd. at this time extracts from the minuts of our last Yrly meeting, which have been read and are satisfactory — They are as follows viz

"At our Yearly meeting of Friends for New England held on Rhode Island by adjournments for the 13th of 6th. Month to the 15th of the same inclusive 1870

Second day of the week and 13th of the Month

The Committee appointed this morning to examine and settle the Treasurers account and for other purposes presented the following report viz. — which being considered was united with by the meeting, and the propositions therein contained are approved. Geo M Easby is accordingly appointed Treasurer of this Meeting for the ensuing ~~year~~ years and our Several Yrly Mtgs. are requested to pay to him their respective proportions of ~~the~~ Twenty five Dollars, the sum proposed to be raised. And the clerk is directed to furnish those meetings respectively with a copy of this Minute. From the Minuts of the Yrly Mtg

Valentine Mason Clerk

Sandwich Quarterly meetings proportion being 15 per ct. is Three Dols. 75 cts."

1870. By which it appears that the contribution of Yrly Mtgs. Stock for 1870 is 3 Dols 75 cts. which sum our Treasurer is directed to pay to the Treasurer of the Yrly meeting when in Unity. and Dartmouth Monthly meeting is requested to forward that amount to the Quarterly meetings Treasurer. and the clerk is directed to furnish the same with a copy of this minute.

The Treasurer of the Quarterly meeting informs that there being sufficient funds in his hands, he has paid the amount of 3 Dols 75 cts ~~as directed~~ to the yearly meetings Treasurer as directed

The Committee appointed in the 7th month last year to examine and settle the Treasurers account and for other purposes now report as follows

To Sandwich Yrly Mtg. of Friends

Dear Friends. — The Committee appointed in the 7th month last year to settle with the Treasurer of this meeting and for other purposes report that said account has been examined and found to be correct and that a balance of Six Dols. 26 cts remains in his hands. — The Committee propose Thos K Wilbur for Treasurer of the Yrly Mtg. for the coming year

Signed on behalf of the Committe

Dartmouth Geo M Tucker

7th mo 4 1870 — Which report being acceptible to the meeting Thos K Wilbur is appointed Treasurer for the Yrly meeting for the ensuing year or untill another appointment. —

George M Tucker and Jesse Tucker are reappointed to attend to ~~attend~~ the same services as last year and they are requested to report to this meeting in the 7th month next year

Isaac P Wilbur reports on behalf of the representatives to the yrly Mtg. that they all attended except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given

Answers to Queries

Ans. 1st. All our meetings for worship and discipline have been duly held except one particular

1870 — Meeting, that in consequence of the smallness of their number, with a lack of a proper engagement in some and the feeble state of healths of others, has often failed to be held; they have however been attended generally by most persons of suitable health. — The hour has been pretty well observed, — But little appearance of sleep. Of other unbecoming behavior we know not but clear

Ans 2nd — Love and unity are maintained by most Friends and detraction is guarded against. Some care has been taken in regard to differences when they have occured

Ans 10th. There has been a lack of care in some cases in a timely dealing with offenders. No judgment has been passed since our last account

No further business appearing we conclude postponing to meet again in the 10th Month next — at this place

Geo M Eady Clerk

10th Month At Sandwich Mly Meting of Friends held at New Bedford 10mo 6th 1870

We have rec'd the account from Dartmouth Monthly Mtg by which it appears the following named Friends were appointed to attend this Mtg as representatives: viz, Thos H Wilbur, Geo. M. Eady, and Gideon Wilbur. — Whose names being called they were all present. — No account has been presented from Nantucket Mo. Mtg. at this time

The Queries from Dartmouth Monthly Mtg with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th were read; and are believed to describe the state of this Mtg. so far as they extend

There being no further business presented at this time we conclude, postponing to meet again at this place at the usual time in the 12th Mo. next

Geo M. Eady Clerk

1870 — At Sandwich 2dly. meeting of Friends held at Newtown the 1st day of 12th month 1870

We have at this time received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Mtg; By which it appears the following named Friends were appointed representatives to this meeting viz. Jesse Tucker and Geo. H Eddy, who are both present

No account has been received from Nantucket Monthly meeting at this time

The Queries were read at this time, with answers to the 1st, 2nd 5th 10th from Dartmouth Monthly meeting, which are believed descriptive of our present State so far as they extend

We are informed by the account from Dartmouth Monthly meeting that their proportion of Stock has been paid to the Treasurer of this meeting

No further business presenting at this time, we Concluded, purpose to meet again at this place at the usual time in the Fourth Month next

Signed Geo. H Eddy Clerk.

1871

At Sandwich 2dly mtg. of Friends held at Newtown 6th day of 4th mo.

1871 — We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Mtg. by which it appears the following friends were appointed representatives to this mtg. viz Gideon Wilbur and Geo. H. Eddy — Whose names being called they were both present

No account has been rec'd from Nantucket Monthly Mtg. at this time

The time for which the Clerks of this mtg were appointed having expired, the Representatives proposed Geo. H Eddy for Clerk and Isaac P. Wilbur for assistant clerk. Whose names being Seperately considered they were appointed to those services respectively for the year ensuing or until another appointment

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth Ma. Mtg. were read at this time. Which answers are believed descriptive of the the present State of this meeting; and they are directed to be presented to our next yearly meeting by Jesse Tucker — Isaac P Wilbur and Geo H Eddy who are appointed representatives of this mtg thereto: and they are requested to report their attendance at our next 2dly mtg

The Clerk is directed to prepare the usual account to the next

speedy meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Mtg.

There appearing no further business at this time we
conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the 7th month next

Signed Dorothy Ellis Clerk

Answers to the Queries 4th Month 6th 1871

Ans 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been duly held: except in one particular meeting, most of which have not been held on account of the small numbers and the feeble health of some: and they have been attended by the greater part of Friends of suitable health. — The hour mostly observed. Some appearance of deeds in a few at times. Of other unbecoming behavior mostly clear

Ans. 2nd Love and unity appear to be maintained by nearly all, and detraction mostly guarded against as far as appears. Some care has been taken in regard to differences

Ans. 3d Most Friends endeavour to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, and restrain them from pernicious reading and from corrupt conversation: and generally are exemplary themselves. — We believe the Holy scriptures are frequently read in Friends families. —

Ans. 4th. — We believe that Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and to observe moderation and temperance on the occasions alluded to,

Ans 5th The circumstances of the poor are attended to. None are known out that we know of

Ans. 6th — There have been no cases of Marrying since our last account

Ans 7th Most Friends are careful in regard to Priests wages: yet there a few instances of attending and joining other religious societies, and two or three cases of bearing arms by members who live at a remote distances as before reported that have not been attended to

Ans 8th We believe that Friends endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this Query

Ans 9th The records are attended to. No removals ~~without certificates~~ since our last account

Ans 10th. Although Friends continue to feel a deep concern on the important subject of this Query; yet there has evidently been a dullness in a timely attention in a few cases. No judgement has been placed since our last account

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 6th. day of 7th. month 1871.

We have received the usual account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, by which it appears that Isaac P. Wilbur Gideon Wilbur and George M. Eddy were appointed representatives to attend this meeting, and upon their names being called they were all present, and answered thereto.

Nantucket Monthly Meeting is not represented at this time — Jesse Tucker on behalf of the representatives to attend last Yearly Meeting reports, that they ~~were~~ all attended.

George M. Eddy on behalf of the committee appointed last 7th. month to examine and settle the treasurer's account informs, that they are not prepared with a report, and they are continued on same appointment and are requested to report to next Quarterly Meeting.

The Queries were read at this time with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting to the 1st, 2nd and 10th — — The answers are thought descriptive of the state of this meeting aside from Nantucket, so far as they extend.

There being no further business presented at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time, in the 10th. month next.

Signed George M. Eddy Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 5th. of 10th. mo. 1871.

We have received the usual account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, by which it appears the following Friends were appointed to attend this meeting as representatives viz. Jesse Tucker, Isaac P. Wilbur and George M. Eddy. whose names being called they were all present.

Nantucket Monthly Meeting is not represented at this time. The committee appointed in the 7th mo. last year to examine and settle the Treasurer's acct. &c. report that they have attended to the same and find it correctly kept, and that there is a balance in his hands of six dollars and twenty six cents ($6.26). They also pro-

from Thos. K. Wilbur for Treasurer. all of which is satisfactory to the meeting and he is accordingly appointed for Treasurer of this meeting for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

Jesse Tucker and George M. Eddy are reappointed committee to attend to the same service as last year, and they are requested to report to this meeting when accomplished.

The Queries were read with answers to the 1st. 2nd. 3rd and 10th which are descriptive of our present state so far as they extend.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in 12th. mo. next.

Signed George M. Eddy. Clerk.

At Sandwich 2nd. Mo. 7th. Friends held at New Bedford the 7th of 12th. mo. 1871.

We have received the usual accounts from Dartmouth Monthly Mtg; by which it appears the following Friends are appointed to attend this Mtg. as Representatives, viz. Sidney Wilbur, Jesse Tucker and James T. Wilbur whose names being called they were all present except one.

There has been no account received from Nantucket Monthly Mtg. at this time.

The Queries were read at this time with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th. as descriptive of the present state of this Mtg. so far as they extend.

No further business appearing at this time we conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the 4th. mo. next.

Signed Geo. M. Eddy Clerk.

[illegible] Care in Classes & [illegible]
and to restrain from more heinous
sinful conversation, and are generally examples
to others. We think the Brethren are [illegible]
Friends families

5th We believe that Friends are careful to avoid the use
of unfermented Liquors and Cases of Intemperance
and be diligent in reproving and [illegible]
ing concerned in it,

6th The circumstances of the Poor are attended to,
& Care taken that no Imposition

7th Nothing amiss in Cases of Marriage
& Disunderstanding which have not been attended to,
nor been so since our last account.

8th That Friends are careful in regard to Friends
Duty at their Meetings of Worship, and in
the other religious Duties, and but few Cases of being
absent by members who live at a suitable distance
have not been attended to, as before reported.

9th We believe that Friends endeavour to be careful
in the several Duties of this day.

10th Friends are attended to. No Minutes since
our last account.

11th Although Friends continue to feel and
in the Concurrent Subject of this query — yet
appears been a delay in [illegible] Friendly Advice

No further business appearing we
adjourn to meet again at this Place in the 7th

[illegible]

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 4th of 7th mo 1872.

We have received the usual account from Dartmouth Mo Meeting by which it appears that the Representatives appointed by that Meeting to attend the Quarterly meeting are Gideon Wilbur, Geo. M Eddy, and Jesse Tucker whose names being called, they are all present.

There has been no account from Nantucket Monthly Meeting received at this time.

The queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th which are thought to describe our present State so far as they extend.

Two of the Representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

There appearing no further business at this time we conclude - Purposing to meet again in this place on the 10th mo next.

Jesse Tucker clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting held at New Bedford 3rd of 10th mo 1872 We have received the usual account from Dartmouth Mo Mty. The Representatives therein named to this meeting are Jesse Tucker and James F Wilbur whose names being called, they are present.

We have received no account from Nantucket Mo Mty at this times

The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th which have been received from Dartmouth Mo Mty. They are thought to describe our present State so far as they extend.

No further business appearing, we conclude by Purposing to meet again in this place on the 12th mo next.

Jesse Tucker clerk

Falmouth Quarterly Meeting held at Falmouth 5th of 12th mo 1872. We have received the account from Falmouth Mo Meeting and the representatives thereto named to this meeting are Gideon Wilbur and Francis Taber, whose names being called they are present.

There is no account received from Nantucket Mo Meeting at this time.

The Queries have been read in this meeting and answers thereto to the 1st, 2d and 10th as received from Falmouth, Mo. Meeting. They are thought to describe our present state as far as they extend.

The committee who were continued under appointment by the Quarterly Meeting in 10th mo 1865 to have the care of the transfer of the Meeting House and lot in South Falmouth, from the old to the new trustees, then appointed, have now made the following report.

To the Quarterly Meeting.

The Committee appointed in 7th mo 1865 on the subject of a new appointment of Trustees of the Meeting house and lot at South Falmouth, and who were continued in appointment at the next Quarterly Meeting to have the care of the transfer of the property to the new Trustees, now report. That the transfer has been made by deed to the new trustees agreeably to the wish of the Quarterly Meeting. They also suggest to the Quarterly Meeting the propriety of a sale of the property as it is not at present needed for the uses of society and the buildings will soon need an outlay for repairs

On behalf of the Committee

Isaac P Wilbur

Which report is acceptable and the suggestions therein made is approved by this meeting and the trustees are hereby directed to make sale of the property when one in their judgement a suitable opportunity offers and they are authorized by this meeting to transfer the same to the purchaser by deed or otherwise.

The business brought before us being accomplished we conclude postponing to meet again in this place in the 4th mo next.

Signed for and in behalf of

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in Sandwich 3d fourth month 1873. An account has been received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting in which it appears the Friends therein named as representatives to this meeting are Francis Taber and Samuel Tucker whose names being called they are present.

There is no account from Nantucket Mo Meeting at this time.

The time for which the clerk and assistant clerk of this meeting are appointed having arrived Friends take on behalf of the representatives should find they are content to go on and we name Jesse Tucker for clerk and Isaac P Wilbur for assistant Clerk. The names were separately considered & approbation united with and they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively for the year ensuing & until another appointment.

The Queries have been read in this meeting and answers thereto received from Dartmouth Mo Meeting. They are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives. Francis Taber, Eli M Eddy and Jesse Tucker are appointed to that service and the clerk is directed to furnish them with an account of this meeting and sign it on our behalf.

No further business presenting we conclude this sitting is met at this place in the 4th month next.

Jesse Tucker clerk.

Answers to Queries 4th mo 3d 1873

Ans 1st — All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been duly held, and have generally been attended by the greater part of Friends of suitable ages. We know of no Friend, but little appearance of slight, & clear of other unbecoming behavior.

Ans 2d — Love and unity appear to be maintained by nearly all, and detraction guarded against as far as [illegible] existing differences.

3. Most Friends endeavor to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel; and to restrain them from pernicious reading and from corrupt conversation, and are generally careful in these respects. We think the Testimonies are frequently read in Friends families.

4th — We believe that Friends are careful to avoid the use of Spirituous liquors except for medicine, and the unnecessary frequenting of Taverns, and Places of public resort and to observe moderation and temperance on the occasions referred to.

5th. The circumstances of the poor are attended to. None are placed out that we know of.

6th. Suits. There are several cases of marrying out of Meeting which have not been attended to. There have been no new cases since our last account.

7th Most Friends are careful in regard to Law suits, yet there are a few instances of attending and joining in Religious Societies, and two or three cases of bearing arms by members who live at a remote distance that have not been attended to as before reported.

8th — We believe that Friends endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this query.

9th —. The records are attended to. No removals since our last account.

10th Although Friends continue to feel a deep concern in the important subject of this query, yet there has evidently been a delay in timely attention in several cases. The judgment has been finished since our last account.

At a Quarterly Meeting held at Salem adjourned 3 of 7th mo 1873. By accounts received from Dartmouth Mo Meeting it appears that the representatives appointed by that meeting

ing to this are Geo M Eddy and Jesse Tucker whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason is assigned.

The Queries with answers from Dartmouth monthly Meeting to the 1st, 2d and 10th have been read in this meeting. They are thought to describe our present State as far as they extend.

There is no account from Nantucket Monthly Meeting present.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 10th month.

Signed Jesse Tucker Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting held at New Bedford 2d of 10th Mo 1873. By the account received from Dartmouth Mo Mty it appears the Representatives appointed by that Meeting to this are Francis Taber and Geo M Eddy whose names being called they are present.

There is no account from Nantucket Mo Mty present.

The Queries with the answers received from Dartmouth Mo Mty have been read and they are believed to be descriptive of our present State.

No further business presenting we conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 12th month.

Signed Jesse Tucker Clerk.

1873

2 mo Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 4th of 12th mo 1873.

By the account received from Dartmouth Mo Meeting it appears the following friends were appointed representatives by that meeting viz: Jesse Tucker and James T Wilbur who are present.

The Queries have been read and the answers as rec'd from Dartmouth Mo Meeting to the 1st 2nd and 10th which we think describe our present state so far as they extend.

There is no account from Nantucket Mo Meeting present.

No further business appearing we conclude by proposing to meet again at this place in the fourth month next.

Signed Jesse Tucker clerk

1874

4th 2. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Newbedford 2d 4 mo. 1874

By Accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, it appears the following named Friends were appointed representatives to attend this Meeting Jesse Tucker and James T Wilbur. whose Names being called they are present.

The time for which the Clerk and assistant Clerk of this Meeting were appointed having expired One of the representatives informed. they had consulted together and were united in proposing the Names of Francis Taber for Clerk and Isaac H Wilbur for assistant Clerk. The proposition was separately Made, was united with. and they are accordingly appointed to those services respectively for the Year Ensueing or until another appointment

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers thereto from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting They are directed to be forwarded to our ensueing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Francis Taber

– Jesse Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur who are appointed representatives thereto and the Clerk is directed to furnish them an account to that Meeting and sign it on our behalf.

An further business presenting the Conclude Jurpossing to meet at this place in the 7th Mo next. if Consistant with the Divine Will.

Francis Taber. Clerk

Ans. first. All our Meetings for religious Worship and discipline have been duely held. and have been attended by the greater part of Friends whose health would permit. the Good Order observed. But little appearance of Sleep: Clear of other unbecoming behaviour.

Ans. 2d Love and unity appear to be maintained. and detraction guarded against as far as appears: We know of no differences.

Ans 3d Most Friends endeavour to bring up those under their Care in plainness of Speech behaviour and apparel and to restrain them from pernicious reading and from corrupt Conversation. and are generally exemplary themselves. We think the Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families.

Ans 4th We believe that Friends are carefull to avoid the use of Spirituous liquors except for Medicine and the unnecessary frequenting of Taverns and places of public resort and to observe Moderation and temperance on the occations referred to.

Ans. 5th The circumstances of the Poor are attended to. None are placed out.

Ans 6th — Although there are several cases of marrying out of long standing which have not been attended to. There have been no new cases since our last account.

Ans 7th " Most Friends are careful in regard to priest wages. Yet there are a few instances of attending and joining other religious societies; and two or three cases of bearing arms as before reported. Clear as far as appears in the other parts of this query.

Ans 8th " We believe that Friends endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this query.

Ans. 9th " The records are attended to. No removals since our last account.

Ans. 10th " Although Friends continue to feel a deep Concern on the important subjects of this query, yet there has evidently been a delay in timely attention in several cases. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 2 of 7th mo 1874

By accounts received from Baltimore Monthly Meeting, it appears that the following named Friends are appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting, viz. Isaac D. Hilles and James T. Hilles. Their names being called from

The Queries have been read with answers from the first second and tenth

Which the Queries seem to suit our State so far as they extend.

We have at this time received an extract from the Yearly Meeting, informing that they have with the Consent of the Women Meeting, changed the time for holding the select Yearly Meeting at Dover in the Sixth Month. from 9th to the 11th hour

The representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting, report their attendance

No further business appearing. We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next.

Francis Taber. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at NewBedford 1st 10th Month 1874

By Accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, it appears that Samuel Tucker and Jesse Tucker were appointed representatives to attend this Meeting. whose Names being called are present.

The Queries have been read. with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, to the first. second. and Tenth.

No further business appearing at this time. We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the twelfth Month.

Francis Taber. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meet[illegible]
held at NewBedford 3d of 12th Month 1874

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting it appears the representatives Friends appointed to attend this Meeting. are. Jesse Tucker and Samuel H. Wilbur whose Names being called are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting & answers from Dartmouth Monthly. to the first. second. tenth. ninth. third. & fifth. represent State so far as they extend

[illegible] Meeting held in 12th mo 1872 Accordingly a sale of the Property. A portion (viz) the House and out buildings have been Sold and removed from the lot. The proceeds of which with accrued interest to date amounts to Two hundred and forty four 30/100 dollars which is now deposited in the Savings Bank in Trust Receipt in the Trustees Name. As suitable opportunities may present the lot Still remains unsold.

The Trustees engaged for the consideration of the Quarterly Meeting, that they direct the Treasurer to pay the proceeds of the lot now held by him, over to the overseers of Darlington Monthly Meeting to be used for such purposes as that Meeting may direct.

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk
pro tem

[illegible] and the Report was accepted by the Meeting, and the Overseers of Darlington Monthly Meeting for the direction of said Meeting, are authorized to have charge of the funds in the hands of the Trustees, & also whatever may be realized from the sale of the lot on which the House stood.

The Clerk is directed to furnish Darlington Monthly Meeting with a copy of this Minute.

By the Decease of our Beloved Friend Isaac P Wilbur. It appears necessary to appoint a Treasurer of this Meeting. [illegible]

[illegible] Concluded to propose to Meet at this place in the 4th Month

Francis Taber. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 1st 4th Month 1875

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives [illegible] this Quarterly Meeting was found to be [illegible] other Names being called were passed.

The time for which the Clerk and Assistant Clerk of this Quarterly Meeting were appointed having expired, Jesse Tucker on behalf of the representatives informed that they had conferred together and were united in proposing the Name of Francis Taber for Clerk and Elihu for assistant. Their Names were separately read considered and were united with and they are accordingly appointed to those services during the Year ensuing or until another appointment.

The Committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting to [illegible] the Treasurers accounts and to Report have made the following report. Viz.

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting.

The Committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting to examine and settle the Treasurers account &c.

Report that they have attended to their appointment find the account to be correctly kept and the money on hand, viz. six Dollars and Seventy Cents. as the account by the account. We also propose the Name of James T Wilbur for Treasurer. On behalf of the Committee.

Dartmouth 3rd 4th M. 1875. Jesse Tucker.

Which is acceptable to this Meeting and James T Wilbur is accordingly appointed Treasurer of this Meeting for the Year ensuing or until another appointment.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers thereto from [illegible] and the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Jesse Tucker and Francis Taber who have been appointed as representatives thereto.

and

[illegible] appointed to attend the next Quarterly Meeting. The Clerk is directed to furnish them with an account to that Meeting.

No further business appearing to claim our attention [illegible] the usual hour, it is concluded with Silent Worship.

Frances Taber. Clerk.

[illegible]

1st mo. 1st. At our Meetings for Religious Worship and Discipline we have been held and attended by the greater part of our Members. We hear very favorably of. No unbecoming behavior Noticed.

2d. [illegible] and Dissipation guarded against by those of our Members who attend our Meetings to Oversee amongst Us.

3d. Our Elder Friends endeavour to bring up those under their direction in plainness of Speech behaviour and Apparel and to restrain them from corrupt reading and Conversation and are generally Examplary themselves. We fear the Holy Scriptures are not read so often as would be best.

4th. Friends We believe are careful in the several parts of this Query.

5th. The Circumstances of the Poor are attended to when placed on.

6th. We believe Parents and heads of Families are concerned to be careful in the requirements of this Query.

7th. We believe Friends are careful in regard to Just Wages. Yet there are a few instances of our Young Members attending other Religious Meetings than with the other part of this Query.

6th We believe Friends are Carried in the several parts of [illegible]

7th Our Records are attended to. No removals of late.

10th Friends continue to feel a Concern on the important Subject of this Query. Yet there has been a delay in timely attention in several Cases
No Judgement has been Placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 1st of 7th Month 1875
By accounts received from Sandwich and Nantucket the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are viz. Isaac P Wilbur and Francis Tabor whose names being called are present. The representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting, report that they attended.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the first, second and South.

Our Beloved Friend Caleb Gregg, a Member of Our Society, has attended this Meeting. His Company and Gospel Labours have been acceptable to us, and the Clerk is directed to give Him a Copy of this Minute and sign it on our Behalf.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished. We concluded our Session to meet at this place in the Tenth Month next.

Francis Tabor. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 4th of 10th Month 1875

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives thereto appointed to attend this meeting are Samuel Tucker and Jesse Tucker whose names being called one of whom answered Present.

The Clerk being absent Jesse Tucker is appointed to serve for the day.

The Queries were read in this Meeting with answers to the first Second and tenth as received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

Dartmouth Monthly Meeting acknowledges the reception of extract from the minutes of this meeting held in the Eleventh Month 1874 and state that they were acceptable to that Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude by proposing to meet again at this place in the twelfth Month Next.

Jesse Tucker Clerk for the day

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 3d of 12th Month 1875

By Accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives thereto appointed to attend this Meeting are Francis Taber and Jared I Wilbur whose Names being Called were present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the first Second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished we conclude by proposing to meet at this place in the fourth Month Next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

[illegible] Quarterly Meeting of Friends
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
from this Meeting are - James I Wilson and Isaac Tucker. who
having being called are present and answered thereto.

The time for which the Clerk of this Meeting
was appointed having expired. James I Wilson on behalf
of the representatives reported. to propose the name of
Francis Taber for Clerk. and Isaac P Wilson for assistant.
Whose names were seperately stated and considered. were united
in. and they are accordingly appointed to those stations
respectively for the year ensuing, or until another appointment

[illegible]
[illegible] from our Monthly [illegible],
[illegible] are directed to forward to our ensuing, or
[illegible] Isaac P Wilson and Isaac Tucker
are appointed as representatives thereto. and they are requested
[illegible] Quarterly Meeting
[illegible] requested to furnish them with the necessary extracts
from our Minutes and sign them on our behalf.

[illegible] brought before us at this time being
[illegible] in Concluded forthwith to meet at 9 o'clock a.
[illegible] Seventh Month. if consistent with the Divine Will

Francis Taber Clerk.

Answers to the Queries.

1st

All our Meetings for religious worship and discipline
have been duly held and have been attended by
the greater part of Friends whose health would permit.
the Love & Unity observed. One also in the other branches of this
Query

2d Love and unity appear to be maintained. and detractions
guarded against. we know of no differences.

3d ⁄ 11 Mo. Friends endeavour to keep up their care in faithfulness of godly behaviour & offord, and to restrain them from unnecessary & vain and corrupt Conversation and are generally examplary themselves. the Holy Scriptures we believe are frequently read in friends families.

4th ⁄ 11 We believe that Friends are careful to maintain our testimonies in the several parts of this Quarty.

5th ⁄ 11 We know not but clear in the requirements of this Quarty;

6th Mo. There are some recent cases of marrying out & some of long standing, that have not been attended to. yet Friends feel a concern to maintain the important requirements of this Quarty.

7th ⁄ 11 We believe friends are mostly clear as to the several parts of this Quarty. Yet there are a few of the younger members who have attended Meetings of other religious societies.

8th ⁄ 11 Friends do think endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this Quarty.

9th ⁄ 11 The records are attended to. one removal under notice.

10th ⁄ 11 All the Friends continue to feel a deep concern on the important subjects of this Quarty. yet there has evidently been a delay in timely attention in several cases. no judgement had been passed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 6th of 7th Month 1876

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meetings. The representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are Jesse Tucker and Isaac Wilbur whose Names being called are present and answered thereto.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting to the First second and Tenth.

The representatives appointed to attend our last Quarterly Meeting report their attendance.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished. We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Tenth Month Next.

Francis Taber. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 5th of 10th Month 1876

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are Jesse Tucker and Isaac Wilbur whose Names being called are present and answered thereto

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting to the first second and tenth.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished. We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Twelfth month Next.

Francis Taber. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 7th of 12th Month 1876

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are viz. Jesse Tucker and Francis Tabor whose names being called one was prevented from attending by indisposition.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the fourth Month next.

Francis Tabor Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 5th of 4th Month 1877.

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are Viz Jesse Tucker and James I Wilbur whose names being called answered thereto.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. The answers are to be forwarded to the approaching Yearly Meeting by Francis Tabor Jesse Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are appointed representatives thereto and they are required to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting. The Clerk is directed to furnish them with all necessary extracts from our Minutes and sign them on our behalf.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th next.

Francis Tabor Clerk.

Answers to the Queries.

First. All our Meetings for Religious Worship and discipline have been held and attended by the greater part of our Members. the hour mostly observed. No unbecoming behavior noticed.

Second. Love and Unity appear to be maintained and detraction guarded against by those of our Members who attend our Meetings. No differences amongst us.

Third. We believe Friends endeavour to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel. and to restrain them from corrupt reading and Conversation. and are generally exemplary themselves. We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families.

Fourth. Friends we believe are careful in the several parts of this Query.

Fifth. The circumstances of the Poor are attended to. None placed out.

Sixth. We believe Parents and heads of families are concerned to be careful in the several requirements of this Query.

Seventh. We believe Friends are careful in regard to Priest craft. Yet there are a few instances of our Young Members attending other religious Meetings. Clear as to the other parts of this Query.

Eighth. We believe friends are careful in the several parts of this Query.

Ninth. Our records are attended to. One removal under notice.

Tenth. Friends continue to feel a concern on the important subjects of this Query. Yet there has been a delay in timely attention in several cases. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 7th Mo. 5th 1877

By account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are Francis Taber, Jesse Tucker and Samuel Tucker whose names being called answered thereto except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given

The clerk of this Meeting being absent the assistant clerk is directed to serve for the day.

The queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting to the first second and tenth.

The representatives appointed to attend our last Yearly Meeting report their attendance.

The business brought us at this time being accomplished we conclude purposing to Meet at this place in the tenth Month next.

Isaac P Wilbur Assistant Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 4th of 10th Month 1877

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are viz. James P Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whose names being called are present and answer thereto

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the twelfth Month next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 6th of 12th Month 1877

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are viz. Samuel Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur. whose names being called answered thereto.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting, with answers from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. to the first second and tenth.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished. We conclude, by proving to meet at this place in the Fourth Month Next.

Francis Taber. Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 4th of 4th Month 1878.

By accounts received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to attend this are viz. Samuel Tucker and Jesse Tucker. whose names being called. answered thereto.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting. with answers thereto from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. the answers are directed to be forwarded to Our Yearly Meeting by Francis Taber. Isaac. P Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whom we have appointed as representatives. and they are requested to report their attendance to Our next Quarterly Meeting.

The Clerk is directed to furnish them with all necessary extracts from our Minutes. and sign them on our behalf.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished. We Conclude. by proving to meet at this place in the 7th Mo Next.

Francis Taber. Clerk.

Answer 1st All our meeting for religious worship and discipline have been held, and attended by the greater part of our Members, whose health would permit. We know nearly observed clear as to the other parts of this Query.

2d Love and unity, appear to be maintained and detraction guarded against. We know of no differences.

3d We believe Friends endeavour to bring up those under their direction in plainness of Speech behaviour and apparel and to restrain them from corrupt reading and conversation, and are generally examplary themselves. We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families.

4th We believe that Friends are careful in the several parts of this Query.

5th We know not but clear in the requirements of this Query.

6th There is several cases of marrying out that have not been attended to. Yet Friends feel a Concern to maintain the important requirements of this query.

7th We believe Friends are mostly clear as to the several parts of this query; Yet there are a few of the younger Members who have attended Meetings of other religious societies.

8th We believe Friends are careful in the several parts of this query.

9th Our records are attended to. No removals without certificates.

Answer 10th Friends continue to feel a concern on the important subject of this query. Yet there has been a delay in timely attention in several cases. No judgement has been passed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 4th of 7th Month 1878

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are Jane Tucker and Samuel Tucker whose names being called answered thereto.

The queries have been read in this Meeting, with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. The representatives appointed to attend the Quarterly Meeting report their attendance.

The business brought before us at this time having been accomplished. We conclude forthwith to meet at this place in the Tenth Month next.

Francis Tabor. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 3d of 10th Month 1878

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this Meeting are viz. Jesse Tucker and Francis Tabor who are present.

The Queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The business brought before us being accomplished we conclude forthwith to meet at this place in the Twelfth Month next.

Francis Tabor. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 12th Month 5th 1878

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named Friends are appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting viz. Jesse Tucker and Francis Taber who are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place if consistant with the Divine Will in the fourth month next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 3d of 4th Month 1879

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named Friends are appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting viz Isaac P Wilbur and Francis Taber who are present

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers thereto from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the answers are directed to be forwarded to our Yearly Meeting by Francis Taber Isaac P Wilbur and Jesse Tucker who are appointed as representatives thereto and they are requested to report their attendance to our Next Quarterly Meeting

The Clerk is directed to furnish them with all necessary extracts from our Minutes and sign them on behalf of this Meeting.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished we conclude purposing to meet if consistant with the Divine Will at this place in the 7th Month next.

Francis Taber Clerk

Answers to the Queries

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Friends endeavour to bring up their [illegible] in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel, and to restrain them from [illegible]

Fourth. We believe that Friends are careful in the several parts of this [illegible]

Fifth. We know not but clear in the requirements of this query.

[illegible] requirements of this query.

Seventh. We believe Friends are mostly clear as to the several parts of this query. Yet there are a few of the younger Members who have attended Meetings of other religious societies.

[illegible]

Ninth. Our records are attended to. No removals without certificate.

Tenth. Friends continue to feel a concern on the important subject of this query. Yet there has been a delay in timely attention in several cases. No judgement has been placed [illegible]

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting held at [illegible] 1779

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named Friends were appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting. viz Samuel Tucker and Isaac D Wilbur. who are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers to the first second and tenth.

One of the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting reports they attended.

The business brought before us at this time being accomplished. We conclude our Meeting to meet at this place if consistent with the Divine will, in the tenth month next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting held [illegible]

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein appointed to this Meeting, viz Samuel [illegible] and Tucker. who are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The business before this Meeting at this time being accomplished. We conclude our Meeting to meet in the twelfth Month at this place if Consistent with the Divine Will.

Francis Taber Clerk.

[illegible]

[illegible] an account received from Dartmouth

[illegible] to attend this Meeting are Jesse Tucker and Francis

[illegible] this Meeting, with answers to the first & second queries

from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting,

The business brought before this Meeting

being accomplished, we conclude, Purposing, if next

[illegible] with the Divine will.

Francis Taber, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting,

at Friends field at New Bedford. 1st of 4th month

[illegible]

[illegible] ted to attend this Meeting, are Jesse Tucker and

[illegible]

The Queries have been read in this Meeting

[illegible]

to furnish them with all necessary extracts from our records

[illegible]

Francis Taber, Clerk.

All our Meetings for religious Worship and discipline

of this query.

- ion - guarded against. We know of no differences.

nder their Care in plainness of Speech behaviour -

and apparel to restrain them from reading

- ing books and from corrupting Conversation

We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently

read in Friends families.

4th mo We believe Friends are careful in the several parts

of this query.

5th mo We know of not but clear in the several parts

of this query.

6th mo Friends feel a concern to maintain the important

requirements of this query, but there are some

cases of Marrying out of the order of Society that

have not been attended to.

7th mo We believe Friends are mostly clear as to the several

parts of this query. Yet there are a few of the

& other religious Societies.

8th mo We believe Friends are careful in the several parts

of this query.

Certificates.

and the judgment has been pleased to

not recover

Meeting. Six friends therein appointed a representation to attend this Meeting. are Jesse Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur whose Names being called answered thereto.

Isaac P. Wilbur on behalf of the representation appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting, reports they

accomplished. We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Tenth Month next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

held at New Bedford 7th of 10th Month 1880

as representatives to attend this Meeting are Jesse

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the First Second and Tenth from

The busines brought before this Meeting being

Francis Taber. Clerk

of Friends held at New Bedford 7th of 4th Mon.

By an account received from Dartmouth

viz. Jesse Tucker and Isaac T Wilbur who are present.

The Queries have been read in this

to be forwarded to the Yearly Meeting by Isaac T Wilbur

representatives thereto. and they are requested to

report their attendance to our next Meeting.

The Clerk is directed to forward all necessary

The business brought before and at this

If consistent with the Divine will to Meet at this

place in the 7th Month next.

Francis Taber Clerk.

Answers to

[illegible]

Discipline have been held and generally attended by the

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

3d Friends endeavour to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech behaviour and apparel to restrain them [illegible] - dation - and are generally exemplary themselves. The Holy Scriptures we believe are frequently read in Friends families

4th We think Friends are careful in the several parts of this Query.

5th We know not but clear in the requirements of this Query.

[illegible]

to the Query. No recent cases of marrying out that we know of.

7th We believe Most Friends are clear in the several parts of this Query. but there are some of the younger Members who have [illegible] Select.

8th Friends We think endeavour to be careful in the several parts of this Query.

9th The records are attended to. No removals without certificates.

10th Friends feel a concern to deal with offenders. but of late no way has seemed open to proceed therein. and no Judgement has been placed since our last Report.

[illegible] Quarterly Meeting
of Friends held at New Bedford 1st 12th Mo 1881

[illegible] Meeting, the representatives [illegible] appointed to attend this Meeting are Francis Taber and Isaac P Wilbur who are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the first second and tenth from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

The minutes of the [illegible] Quarterly Meeting, being attached to this Quarterly Meeting, having been received from the yearly Meeting at our last Meeting and approved. We appoint Isaac P. Wilbur as a Committy to procure the Books and papers of that meeting & [illegible] for the Library and report when accomplished. The Clerk is directed to forward to Dartmouth Monthly Meeting an Extract of the above Minute and Sign it on our behalf.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished. We conclude. purposing to Meet at this place in the fourth month next. & Concurred with by

Dennis Drill Francis Taber. Clerk.

at New Bedford

Meeting Representatives thereto appointed &
Saber who are present.

Isaac P Wilbur informed on behalf of the repre-
sentatives to the Yearly Meeting, that they attended.

the Service with.

Francis Saber. Clerk.

with Dartmouth Meeting
held at Newbedford. 5th of 4th
month 1842.

By an account received from Dartmouth
this Meeting, the following named Friends were

The Queries have been read in this Meeting

The business brought before this Meeting, at this
at this future in the Fourth Month next. If Consistant

Francis Taber Clerk.

The business brought before this Meeting
accomplished to Concern, purposing to hold
this place in the Fourth Month next. If Consistant
with the Discipline.

[illegible]

[illegible] were present and answered [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

The time for which the treasurer of this [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Whereas it was agreed at the Books and papers belonging to Salem and Lower Quarterly Meeting, made a report that he had received the Books and papers belonging to Salem and Lower Quarterly Meeting & laid down by their agents.

The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished we conclude, purposing to meet at the place in the 2nd month next, if consistent with the Discipline. Signed

Frances Cadbury, Clerk.

[illegible]

Qu. 1st. All our Meetings for Religious Worship & discipline have been attended, excepting two Meetings for worship, occasioned by the [illegible]

[illegible]

against as far as appears. No differences known amongst us.

" 3d " Friends feel a concern to bring up their children under pious [illegible]

[illegible] religious instruction, and pious & consistent conversation are [illegible] recommended. The Meeting for Sufferings are frequently [illegible] informed.

1st. Do our Friends are diligent to attend to the several

2d. Friends appear to be concerned that our Members

and Sufferers the requirements of discipline with respect

3d. Do Friends Minister Treasurer clear in the several Mo.

4th. We believe Friends feel concerned to be careful in

5th. Our records are attended to. One Family removed

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of
Friends held at New Bedford 5th of 7th Month 1883
By an account received from Dartmouth
Monthly Meeting. The following named Friends were
appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting, viz
Isaac Wilbur and Francis Taber who are present and
have served in their stead.

All answers to the first second and tenth.

Isaac C Wilbur on behalf of the representatives
attended the Monthly Meeting reports their attendance.

[illegible] The business brought before this Meeting [illegible]
[illegible] received [illegible] to Report at this place in the 8th
[illegible]

sentatives to attend this Meeting in Peace Quarterly and Yearly

The Queries have been read in this Meeting in course

The Committee appointed to settle the Treasurers account have
prepared a Statement for Treasurer reports the following, which is
[illegible] Meeting [illegible]

The Business brought before this Meeting being accomplished

Samuel Paxson Clerk.

settle the Treasurers account of this Meeting, have Made the
following report: that We find the accounts correct &
[illegible]

Isaac J. Hilliker for Treasurer

Dartmouth 9th mo 14th 1883. Isaac J. Hilliker

[illegible]

[illegible] have been read in this meeting

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

By an account received from Westminster
[illegible] Meeting the following [illegible]
Francis Taber. who are present.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Friends feel a concern to bring [illegible]

Examplary themselves. The daily Scriptures are frequently read in their families.

4th We believe friends are careful in the several parts of this query

Query, so far as circumstances arise.

5th [illegible] the requirements of discipline with respect to Marriage.

6th We believe most friends are clear in the several parts of this query.

A few cases of the Younger Members who attend Meeting of [illegible]

8th We believe Friends are careful in the several requirements [illegible]

9th Our records are attended to. No removal without certificate.

10th Friends feel so concerned that offenders should be dealt with. but of late little progress has been made therein.

[illegible]

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of

By an account received from Dartmouth [illegible] were appointed to attend this Meeting as representatives

The Queries have been read in this Meeting.

[illegible]

The Friends appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting as representatives are reported as attending by Isaac P Wilbur except one.

The business brought before this Meeting being [illegible] the tenth Month next if consistant with the Divine Will

Frances Taber Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly

1884. By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly

[illegible]

The business brought before this meeting, at this time, being accomplished, We conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the twelve month next if, consistant with the Divine Will.

Frances Taber Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting

twelfth 1884. By an account received from Dartmouth

attend this Meeting are Jesse Tucker and Frances Taber who are present. The Queries have been read in

We conclude, purposing to Meet at this place in the fourth

[illegible]

Lowell Taber Clerk.

[illegible]

Meeting, the Clerk is directed to furnish [illegible]

extracts from our Minutes.

[illegible] to meet at this House on the Seventh [illegible] Concerned with [illegible]

Queries

Answer 1st. All our Meetings for religious worship and discipline [illegible]

Answer 2d. Love and unity are maintained and dissension guarded against as far as appears. No dissensions known amongst us.

[illegible] Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their [illegible] reading pernicious books, and from corrupt Conversation, are generally exemplary therein. The Holy Scriptures frequently read in their families.

Answer 4th. We believe Friends are careful in the several parts of this Query.

Answer 5th. We believe Friends are careful to attend to the several parts of this query, so far as circumstances admit.

[illegible] should enquire into the requirements of discipline with respect to Marriage.

Answer 6th. We believe most Friends are clear in the several parts of this Query. A few cases of the Younger Members to be attended to, attending other religious societies.

Answer 8th. We believe Friends are careful in the several requisitions of this Query.

Answer 9th. Our records are attended to as formerly with [illegible]

At Dartmouth Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 2nd of 5th Month 1885.

[illegible]

We have at this time the company of our Esteemed Friend [illegible] 5th Month 9th 1885. Expressive of their unity with his proposed visit. his company and Gospel services have been truly acceptable and [illegible]

[illegible] to Cyrus H Harvey. who produced a copy of a Minute from a [illegible] 1885. Expressive of his willingness to [illegible] The Clerk is directed to unite with the Clerk of the Woman's Meeting [illegible]

The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers [illegible]

Francis Taber reports that one of the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting attended. The business [illegible] accomplished We conclude. purposing to meet at this place in the tenth Month next. if consistant with [illegible]

Francis Taber Clerk

At Sandich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 1st of 10th Month 1885.
By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the Friends therein appointed to attend this Meeting as representatives were Jesse Tucker and Isaac [illegible] who are present. The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers from the First Second and Fourth.
The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished We conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Seventh Month next. if consistant with the Divine Will.

Francis Taber Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford 3d of twelfth Month 1885.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named Friends were appointed as representatives to this Meeting. viz Samuel Tucker and Jesse Tucker who are present. The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers thereto from the several Monthly Meetings. The business brought before this Meeting being accomplished We conclude. purposing to meet at this place in the fourth Month next, if consistent with the Divine will.

Francis Taber. Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the fourth Month 1885.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named Friends were appointed as representatives to attend this Meeting. viz Francis Taber and Samuel Tucker. who are present.

The Queries have been read in this Meeting. with answers thereto. which are directed to be forwarded to the Yearly Meeting by Francis Taber and Isaac P Miller who are appointed as representatives. they are requested to report their attendance to our next Meeting. The Clerk is requested to furnish them with all the necessary Extracts from our Minutes. the business the business. brought before us having accomplished We Conclude we concluded. purposing to meet at this place in the seventh Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Francis Taber Clerk.

Answers to the Queries.

First. All our Meetings for Religious worship and discipline have been attended generally by the Greater part of Friends when health would permit. the former duly observed.

Generally clear of Sleep and other unbecoming behavior.

Second. [illegible] are maintained and disownments against. as far as appears. no difference known amongst us

[illegible] Friends [illegible] concern to bring up those under their care in [illegible] of such behavior and afford to restrain them from reading pernicious books, and from corrupt Conversation, are generally, & examplary therein. the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in their families.

4th We believe Friends are careful in the [illegible] of this Query.

5th We believe friends are careful to attend to the several parts of this query, so far as circumstances arise.

6th Friends appear to be concerned that our Members should support the requirements of Discipline with respect to Marriage.

7th We believe most friends are clear in the several parts of this query. A few cases of the younger Members [illegible] at Meetings & other religious Societies.

8th We believe friends are careful in the several requirements of this Query.

9th Our records are attended to. No removal without certificate

10th Friends feel concerned that offenders should be dealt [illegible] of such [illegible] has been known. No judgment has been passed since our last [illegible].

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends

[illegible] by an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the following named friends are appointed as representatives to this Meeting viz. Samuel Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur who are present. one of the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting reports that one attended and the other was prevented by indisposition. The Queries have been read in this Meeting with answers thereto, from the first second and tenth.

[illegible] that at this place in the Tenth month next if consistent with the

1886

[illegible]

this meeting, in Rose another and Isaac P Wilbur one of [illegible]

having evinced a concern to be extended some on this service as such on account of his feeble state of health, after a time of deliberation thereon,

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 7th of 12th mo 1886,— by account [illegible] it appears the following named friends are appointed representatives to attend this meeting (viz) Francis [illegible] and James P Wilbur [illegible]

The Queries with answers to the 2nd and 10th have been read

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished, we conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 4th Mo next

Signed Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

1887 At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 7th of 4th month 1887,— We have received the usual account from Dartmouth [illegible] by which it appears that [illegible]

[illegible] from the minutes and sign them on our behalf

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished, we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th month next

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

[illegible] 1857

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been attended generally by the greater part of Friends whose health would permit,

2nd Love and unity are maintained, and detraction guarded against as far as appears, No differences known amongst us

3rd Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, to restrain them from reading pernicious books, and from corrupt conversation, are generally Exemplary themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in their families

4th We believe [illegible] in the several parts of this query

5th We believe friends are careful to attend to the several parts of this query so far as circumstances arise

6th Friends [illegible] should support the requirements of discipline with respect to marriage

7th We believe [illegible] in the several parts of this query [illegible] the younger members who attend meetings of other religious societies

8th We believe friends are exact in the several requirements of this query

9th Our records are attended to, one family came ~~amongst us~~ amongst us without certificate, under notice

10th Friends [illegible] should be exact in the [illegible] of late little progress has been made herein,— No judgement has been placed since our last account

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 7th of 7th Mo 1857 — We have received the usual account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, by which it appears that the representatives appointed by by that Meeting to attend this Meeting are Samuel Tucker and James D. Wilbur whose names being called they answered there to

One of the representatives appointed to attend our Yearly Meeting inform that they attended

The Queries have been read in this meeting & the answers there to the first, second and tenth

The business left before this meeting having been accomplished we conclude, by giving to meet at this place in the tenth month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Jesse D. Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford
7th of 7th mo. 1887— We have received the usual account from
Dartmouth Monthly Meeting by which it appears that the representatives
appointed by that Meeting to attend the the Quarterly Meeting are
Samuel Tucker and James F Wilbur whose names being called, they
were present and answered thereto
One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting informs that they attended
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read,
The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished we conclude
purposing to meet at this place in the 10 month next if consistent
with the Divine Will
Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 1st of
10th mo. 1887— We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly
Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting
are James H Tucker and James F Wilbur, whose names being called
they are present and answered thereto
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10 have been read
The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished we
conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 12th month
next if consistent with the Divine Will
Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 1st of 12th mo. 1887
The accounts from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting are present. by which it appears that
the following named friends are appointed representatives to this meeting (viz)
Job F Gidley and Isaac P Wilbur whose names being called they were present and
answered thereto
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10 have been read
The Trustees having the care of the South Meeting House property in Dartmouth
now make the following report (viz)

To Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends

The Trustees having the care of the South Meeting House property in Dartmouth, belonging to the Quarterly Meeting, Report that in accordance with a minute made at the Quarterly Meeting held in 12th mo 1872 authorizing a sale of the Property, have sold and conveyed by deed the lot of land on which said house was built for the sum of forty dollars, which was paid to the overseers of Dartmouth Monthly Meeting and by them to the Treasurer of said Monthly Meeting, and as no---

further action appears necessary, the trustee desires to be released from further care in the case

Isaac P Wilbur, the only surviving Trustee

Dartmouth 11th mo 28th 1887

which is satisfactory to this meeting, and the said Isaac P Wilbur is released from further care in the case.

The business brot before this Meeting having been accomplished, we conclude pursuing to meet again in this place in the fourth month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 5th of 4th mo 1888.— We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are, James H Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur, whose names being called, they were present and answered thereto

The Queries with answers thereto have been read, the answers are direct to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Isaac P Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whom we have appointed to that service, and they are requested to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.— The clerk is directed to furnish them ~~them~~ with all necessary extracts from our minutes and sign them on our behalf

This meeting unites with Dartmouth Monthly Meeting in the appointment of Jesse Tucker and Elizabeth H Eddy to the stations of Elders, and the clerk is directed to forward this information in the account to the Yearly Meeting

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished we conclude, purposing to meet again in this place in the 7th mo next if consistent with the Divine Will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

Answers to the Queries

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline, have been regularly held— Except the meeting for worship at New Bedford which has not been held regularly,— as no male member now reside within its limits Our other meetings are attended generally by most friends; yet we note some exceptions. The hour is pretty well observed. Of sleep and other unbecoming behavior clear

2nd Love and unity are maintained and detraction guarded against as far as appears. No differences known amongst us

3rd Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading, and from corrupt conversation,- yet we think a more lively concern in the part of some parents- and to be more examplary themselves is needed.- The Holy Scriptures are fregruently read in friends families

4th We believe spiritous liquors are used for medicinal purposes only, the unnecessary fregruenting of places of public resort mostly avoided

Clear in the other parts of this query

5th There are no cases at present where friends are in circumstances to need assistance.- All Children are given opportunities to acquire a needful Education. None are placed out

6th We believe friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage should be conformable to our discipline

7th Clear we believe in respect to the several parts of this query

8th Friends appear to be careful in these respects as far as appears

9th Our records are attend to.- No removals from, nor any come amongst us without certificate

10th Friends are concerned that all dealings with offenders, should be with meekness and wisdom, and that judgement should be placed in the authority of Truth,- though no cases of disciplinary proceedings has occurred during the past year

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 5th of 7th mo 1858,- We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are James S Tucker and Samuel Tucker, whose names being called they were present

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting report that they attended

The busines brot before this Meeting having been accomplished, we conclude purpose to meet again in this place in the 12th mo next, if consistent with the Divine Will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

1888 At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 4th of 10th mo 1888.— We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting,- the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are Samuel Tucker and James H Tucker who are present

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished, we concludes, purposing to meet again in this place in the 12th month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 6th of 12 mo 1888

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are James H Tucker and Isaac P Wilbur whose names being called, were present, and answered thereto

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th have been read

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished, we conclude purposeing to meet again in this place in the fourth month next

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 4th of 4th mo 1889

We have received the account from Dartmouth monthly meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are Jesse Tucker and James H Tucker who are present

The Queries with answers thereto have been read: the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives (viz) Jesse Tucker and Job S Gidley whom we have appointed to that service, and they are requested to report their attendance to our next meeting, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with all necessary extracts from our records and sign it on our behalf

This Meeting unites with Dartmouth monthly Meeting in the appointment of Isaac P Wilbur and Lydia T Barnard to the station Elders, the womens meeting unite herein, and the clerk is directed to forward this information in the account to the Yearly Meeting

The business brot before this meeting having been accomplished, we conclude purposing to meet again in this place in the seventh month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Isaac P Wilbur Clerk

Answers to the Queries

Ans 1st All our Meetings for religious worship and discipline have been regularly held, Except the meetings for worship at New Bedford, which is kept up by women friends only, no male members now residing within its limits, Our other meet-ings are attended generally by most friends; yet we note some exceptions The hours is pretty well observed, - Of sleep and other unbecoming behavior mostly clear

2nd Love and unity are maintained, and detraction guarded against as far as appears, - No differences known amongst us

3rd Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, to restrain them them from pernicious reading, and from corrupt conversation, - Yet we think a more lively concern on the part of some parents - and to be more Examplary themselves is needed, - The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in friends families

4th We believe spiritous ligours are used for medicinal purposes only, - The unnecessary frequenting of places of public resort mostly avoided Clear in the other parts of this query

5th There are no cases at present where friends are in circumstances to need assistance, - All children are given opportunities to acquire a needful Education, - None are placed out.

6th We believe friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to mar-riage should be conformable to our discipline

7th Clear we believe in respect to the several parts of this query

8th Friends appear to be careful in these respets as far as appears

9th Our records are attended to; - No removals during the past year: - One friend has come amongst us without a certificate

10th Friends are concerned that all dealings with offenders should be with meek-ness and wisdom, and that judgment should be placed in the authority of Truth; No case of disciplinary proceedings has occurred amongst us during the past year

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At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford 4th of 7th mo 1859. We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives there-in appointed to attend this meeting are. Samuel Tucker and Job S Gidley, who are present The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10 have been read One of the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting report that they attended The busines brought before this meeting having been accomplished, we conclude, pur-posing to meet again in this place in the 10th month next. Isaac P Wilbur, Clerk

1889 At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford the 3rd of 10th mo 1889, By account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the following named Friends were appointed representatives to attend this meeting, viz. Isaac P. Wilbur and Samuel Tucker, who are present

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again in this place in the 12th month next Isaac P. Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford the 5th of 12th mo 1889 By an account received from Dartmouth monthly Meeting, the representatives therein appointed to attend this meeting are Samuel Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present

The Queries have been read in this meeting with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again in this place in the fourth month next Isaac P. Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 3rd of 7th mo 1890. We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac P. Wilbur and Samuel Tucker, whose names being called were present and answered thereto

The Queries with answers thereto have been read, the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensueing Yearly Meeting by our representatives (viz.) James H. Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur whom we have appointed to that service, and they are requested to report their attendance to our next meeting, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again in this place in the seventh month next Isaac P. Wilbur Clerk

Answers to the Queries

Ans 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been regularly held, except the Meeting for worship at New Bedford, where no male members reside, and are attended pretty regularly by most friends. A few are remiss in this duty. The hour is well observed. Of sleep and other unbecoming behavior mostly clear

2nd Love and unity are maintained, and detraction guarded against as far as known. No differences have appeared

3rd We believe friends Endeavor to bring up their children in a good degree of plainness, and to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt

conversation as reported by the query. and are for the most part Exemplary themselves. The Holy Scriptures are we think frequently read in friends families

4th We think friends are careful to confine the use of spiritous liquors to medicinal purposes only. The unnecessary frequenting of places of public resort generally avoided. Clear in the other parts of this query

5th There are no friends at present in circumstances that need assistance All children have the opportunity to acquire an education to fit them for business. No friends children are at present placed out

6th Most friends feel a concern to support our testimonies in respect to marriage but the young and unmarried to often give little heed thereto

7th No infraction of this query by any of our members. that has come to our knowedge

8th Friends are careful in these respects as far as appears

9th Our records are attended to. None removed or come among us without certificate.

10th We think friends are concerned to deal with offenders in meekness and wisdom. to place judgment impartially and in the authority of truth though no case requiring dealing has occurred since our last account

At Sandwich Quartly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the third of 7th mo 1890. By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac P. Wilbur and Samuel Tucker who are present.
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.
One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting report that they attended. No further business appearing we conclude purposeing to meet again in this place in the tenth month next, if consistent with the Divine Will.

Isaac P. Wilbur Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 2nd of 10th mo. 1890— By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again in this place in the 12th month next.

Isaac [illegible] Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford the 4th of 12th mo. 1890. By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and Job S. Gidley one of whom is present and for the absence of the other a satisfactory reason was given

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

We have at this time the company of our Esteemed Friend Eliza H Varney a Minister of the Gospel who produced certificate from West Lake Monthly Meeting held at Bloomfield 9th mo. 18th 1890 Expressive of their unity with [illegible] proposed visit, her company and Gospel service have been truly acceptable and edifying, and the clerk is direct to unite with the clerk of the womens meeting in furnishing her with a copy of this minute

No further business appearing we conclude purposeing to meet again in this place in the 4th mo next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Isaac P. Wilbur Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held in New Bedford the 2nd of 4th mo 1891 We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives [illegible] to attend this Meeting are Samuel Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present.

The Queries with answers there to have been read, the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensueing [illegible] Meeting by our representatives (viz) Isaac P. Wilbur and James K. Tucker whom we have appointed [illegible] service and they are requested to report their attendance at our next meeting, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

This meeting meets with Dartmouth monthly meeting

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No further business appearing, we conclude by proposing
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meet.

Answers to the Queries.

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At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held in New Bedford the 1st of 10th mo. 1891.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meting the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac P. Wilbur and Samuel Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th have been read.

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet again in this place in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held in New Bedford the 3rd of 12th mo. 1891.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meting the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th have been read.

No further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to met again in this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held in New Bedford on the 7th of 4th mo. 1892

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meting and the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac P. Wilbur and James N. Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read, the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives, Isaac P. Wilbur, John S. Wilbur, Jesse Tucker and Job S. Gidley whom we have appointed to that service and they are requested to report their attendance

to our next Quarterly Meeting; and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again in this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will,

Robt S. Gibbs Clerk.

Answers to the Queries. 1892

First — All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Meetings for worship on first days are generally attended by the greater part of Friends who are in suitable health. Midweek meetings and those for discipline more neglected. The hour pretty well observed. Not much appearance of sleep, or other unbecoming behavior clear

Second — Love and unity pretty well maintained and detraction guarded against. No differences have appeared amongst us.

Third — Most Friends we believe are careful in the use of the plain language and to inculcate its use in their children also to restrain them from pernicious reading. While some, we believe need to be more circumspect in these particulars to be good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures we believe are frequently read in Friends families

Fourth — We believe Friends are free from the unnecessary use of spirituous liquors or the frequenting of places of public resort. Moderation and temperance are observed on the occasions referred to in the query.

Fifth — There are no friends at present in circumstances that need assistance. Nearly all children have the opportunity in the public schools to acquire an education to fit them for business. No

Sixth:— We think parents and heads of families feel a concern that our testimonies with respect to marriage should be conformable to our discipline — but the young and unmarried are too remiss herein, Care has been extended in such cases.

Seventh:— We believe our members are concerned to support our testimonies in these respects according to the discipline.

Eighth: We think all friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts — punctual in the payment of their debts and to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ninth: Our records are attended to, Nonresidents or come amongst us without certificates.

Tenth:— Care is taken to deal with offenders, but not always as timely as would be best, No judgment has been placed since our last report.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford on the 7th of 7th mo. 1892.

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named are Deborah P. Wilbur and James H. Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they attended.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet in this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Joel S. Tidby Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Bedford on the 6th of 10th mo 1794

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named are Samuel Tucker & nephew Jo. Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

We have received the following extract from the minutes of our last Yearly Meeting giving Sandwich Quarterly Meeting liberty to hold its Quarterly Meetings at North Dartmouth instead of New Bedford, which has been read, and after a time of deliberation therein it is the sense and judgment of this meeting that the time has come to make the change, the Women Quarterly Meeting concurring herein.

Extract.

Friends of Sandwich Quarterly Meeting having stated that there was a prospect that their Meeting house in New Bedford might be sold before another year (as permitted by the Meeting for Sufferings) request in such case liberty to hold their Quarterly Meetings at North Dartmouth instead of New Bedford.

Permission is hereby given by this Meeting to make the change at such time as their Quarterly Meeting may direct.

From the minutes of New England Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Westerly R. I. by adjournments from the 12th of 6th mo to the 14th of the same inclusive 1792.

John W. Foster Clerk.

Members of Dartmouth Monthly Meeting have permission liberty to hold such of their Monthly Meetings at Jo. Dartmouth as are now held in New Bedford. Permission is hereby given by this Meeting the Women's Meeting concurring herein.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at North Dartmouth in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 1st of 12th mo. 1892

We have receive the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meting, the representatives therein named are Isaac P. Wilbur and Job S. Gidley who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 6th of 4th mo. 1893

We have received the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meting, the representatives therein named are Isaac P. Wilbur and Jesse Lucker who are present.

The Queries with answers thereto have been read, The answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives, Isaac P. Wilbur, Jesse Lucker, James H. Lucker and Job S. Gidley whom we have appointed to that service and they are requested to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting, and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1893.

Ans. 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Those on first day have been attended generally by Friends of suitable health. Mid week meetings and those for discipline neglected by a few. The house pretty well observed mostly clear of sleep, & other unbecoming behavior clear.

Ans. 2nd Love and unity pretty well maintained amongst us and detraction guarded against as far as appears. As differences have arisen.

Third — Endeavors are used to bring up those under our care in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, and to restrain from pernicious reading and conversation. Some more care is needed by example in the matter of apparel. The Holy Scriptures we believe are frequently read in Friends families.

Fourth — Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors and in frequenting places of public resort. Moderation is observed in the cases to which reference is made.

Fifth — There are no cases at present where Friends need assistance. Children attend the public schools as there are no Friends schools amongst us. No Friends children placed out.

Sixth — Parents and heads of families feel concerned that our testimonies in respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline. But greater concern for the young and unmarried is needed.

Seventh — We believe Friends are clear in the several parts of this query.

Eighth — Friends are, we think, careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, and just in the payment of their debts. Also to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ninth— Our records are attended to. One friend has come amongst us without a certificate.

Tenth—. Friends are concerned to deal with offenders in the spirit required by the query. . to judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 6th day 7th mo. 1843.

We have received an account from Dartmouth Monthly Meting, the representatives thereunto named are Isaac P. Wilbur and Samuel Tucker who are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meting reports that they attended.

We have at this time the company of our esteemed friend Joseph S. Elkinton from Philadelphia a minister with whom we have unity, who produced a certificate from the Monthly Meting of Friends held at Philadelphia 5th mo. 25th 1843 liberating him, to visit in gospel love, some portion of the New England States, to attend some of the meetings of those under our name and to appoint some public meetings as ability may be afforded and best wisdom may direct. His company and labor of love amongst us have been comforting and encouraging.

The clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute.

No further business appearing, we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

x The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 5th of 10th mo. 1893

We have received an account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named are James H. Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of 12th mo. 1893.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named are Jesse Tucker and James H. Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 5th of 4th mo. 1894

By an account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting, the representatives therein named are Thomas K. Wilbur and Job S. Gidley who are present. The queries with answers thereto have been read and the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Jesse Tucker, Isaac P. Wilbur and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed that service and are directed to report their attendance to our

ment & Quarterly Meeting and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will. Jos. S. Gilly clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1894.

First- All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held, and attended on first days generally by most of our members, midweek meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few. The hour pretty well observed. But little appearance of show or other unbecoming behavior.

Second- Love and unity pretty well maintained and detraction guarded against. No difference apparent.

Third- We believe friends have a concern to bring up their families in plainness according to the query - to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, But a better example on the part of some friends is we think needed. The Holy Scriptures we believe are frequently read in friends families.

Fourth- Friends appear to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicinal purposes. Also the unnecessary frequenting of places of public resort, and observe moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

Fifth- There are at present, none among us in circumstances needing assistance. Public schools are open to all who avail themselves of the privilege of attending them. No children placed out.

Sixth - We believe friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Seventh - Friends bear their testimony against the payment of Priests wages and all military matters, Clear in the other parts of this query.

Eighth - Friends appear to be careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, to be punctual to their promise and just in the payment of their debts and to live within the bounds of their circumstances

Ninth - Our records are attended to, No friends removed from or come amongst us without certificate

Tenth, Friends are concerned to deal with offenders as called for by the query. But it has not been done at all times so seasonably as would have been best. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth on the 5th of 7th mo. 1894,

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein named are George H. Giffins and James H. Tucker who are present

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they attended.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley clerk,

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 10th mo. 1894

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Isaac P. Wilbur who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 12th mo. 1894.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac R. Tucker and James T. Wilbur who are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 4th mo. 1895

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and James H. Tucker who are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and the answers are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Isaac Tucker Job S. Gidley and John T. Wilbur whom we have appointed to that service and they are required to report their

attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

Peter R. Lucken and James H. Lucken are appointed a committee to settle the Treasurer's account and propose a name for treasurer for the ensuing year or till a new appointment.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Answers to the Queries 4th mo. 4th 1895

First All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held, and those on first days have been pretty well attended. Meetings in the middle of the week and those for discipline much neglected by a few.

The hour observed. Not much appearance of sleep. Of other unbecoming behavior we know not but clear.

2nd Love and unity appear to be pretty well maintained, and detraction guarded against. No difference known to exist.

3rd We think some friends do not pay that attention to plainness of dress in themselves as becomes members of our Society. Pernicious reading and corrupt conversation mostly avoided. The Holy Scriptures we think are frequently read in most friends' families

4th Friends appear to be careful to confine the use of spirituous liquors to medicinal purposes, and to avoid the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort.

Also to keep in moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

5th mo. The circumstances of the poor have been attended to when occasion has arisen. Friends' children mostly attend the public schools. No instances of placing out.

6th mo. Parents and heads of families have a concern that all proceedings with respect to marriage should be according to our discipline. No marriages have taken place amongst us since our last account.

7th mo. Friends, as far as we know, bear a testimony against the payment of priests wages, bearing arms and other military matters, and are clear in respect to the other parts of this query.

8th mo. We think friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, that they are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts, and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances

9th mo. Attention is given to our records. No friends removed from or come amongst us without certificates.

10th mo. Friends feel a concern to deal with offenders according to the query. But neglect in this important duty has been apparent. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 4th of the 7th Mo. 1893.

By an account recvd from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named & called this meeting are Thomas K. Wilbur and John T. Wilbur whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting report that they all attended.

The committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting to settle the treasurers account and propose the name of a friend for treasurer make the following report which is satisfactory to this meeting and Thomas K. Wilbur is appointed treasurer for the ensuing year or until a new appointment.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the tenth month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 10th mo. 1894 From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting whose names being called one of them is present. Satisfactory reason was given for the absence of the rest.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sanwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of the 12th mo. 1894

From an account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley and John T. Wilbur whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clk.

At Sanwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 2nd of 4th mo. 1895

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting

are Jesse Tucker and John T. Wilbur whose names being entered in
the minutes. The queries with answers thereto have
been read and the answers are to be forwarded to our ensuing
Yearly Meeting by our representatives, Jesse Tucker, James H.
Tucker, John T. Wilbur and Job T. Gidley whom we have ap-
pointed to that service and they are requested to report to
our next Quarterly Meeting and the clerk is directed to fur-
nish them with the necessary account of that meeting and
sign it on our behalf.

Answers to the queries, 1st. All our meetings for religious
worship and discipline have been held and those on first-
days have been pretty well attended. Mid-week meetings and
those for discipline much neglected by a few. The hours
is pretty well observed. Not much appearance of sloth.
Of other unbecoming behavior we know not but clear.
2nd Love and unity appear to be pretty well maintained
and detraction guarded against. No differences known
to exist. 3rd We think some friends do not pay that attention
to plainness of dress in themselves as becomes members of
our Society. Pernicious reading and carnal conversation
mostly avoided. The Holy Scriptures we think are frequently
read in most Friends families.
4th Friends appear to be careful to confine the use of spirituous
liquors to medicinal purposes, and to avoid the unnec-
essary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort.
Also to keep in moderation on the occasions referred
to in the query. 5th The circumstances of the poor have
been attended to. Friends children mostly attend the public
schools. No instances of placing out.
6th Parents and heads of families have a concern that the
proceedings with respect to marriage should be conform-
able to our discipline.
7th Friends bear a testimony against the payment of priests
wages, bearing arms and other military matters; and are
clear in respect to the other parts of this query.
8th We think friends are careful to inspect their affairs and to
settle their accounts. That they are punctual to their promises and
just in the payments of their debts and are careful to live within
the bounds of their circumstances.

9th M. Attention is given to our records. No friends removed from or come amongst us without certificates
10th Friends feel a concern to deal with all offenders according to the query. But neglect in this important duty has been apparent. No judgment has been placed since our last account.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 2nd of the 7th Mo. 1896

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley and George H. Gifford whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended. The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th month if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 1st of the 10th Mo. 1896

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and John T. Wilbur whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of the 12th mo. 1896

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John S. Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers & the first second and tenth have been read, No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the fourth month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gully Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 1st of the 4th mo. 1897

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named & attend this meeting are Jesse K. Tucker and Job S. Gully whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and the answers are directed & be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Job S. Gully George K. Gifford and Jesse Tucker whom we have appointed to that service and they are requested & report their attendence & our next Quarterly Meeting and the clerk is requested & furnish them with the necessary account & that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

Answers to queries 1st Meetings for religious worship and discipline are well held, and those on first days are usually attended by nearly all of our members but on fifth days and those for discipline they are much neglected by some

The hour is pretty well observed There is but little appearance of sleep, and no other unbecoming behavior noticed Some care has been extended in these deficiencies.

2nd Love and unity we think, are kindly well maintained and detraction guarded against, No differences have come to our knowledge. 3rd We believe friends feel a concern to bring up their children under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel and to restrain them from pernicious reading, but we think there is not enough care exercised in these respects and not all are sufficiently exemplary herein themselves,

We think that the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in most friends families 2d We believe none of our members use Spiritious liquors except for medicinal purpose, are mostly clear of frequenting places of public resort, and keep in moderation and temperance on the occasion referred to in the query. 3d No friends have been in need of pecuniary assistance since our last account. All of the children of friends freely partake of learning. No children are placed from among friends. 6th We are persuaded that parents and heads of families have a concern that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline, but the young and unmarried do not always manifest sufficient regard thereto. One case of marrying out of society has occurred since our last account.
7th We think that friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query. 8th We know not but friends are careful to inspect their affairs and to settle their accounts, that they are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts, and are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.
9th Friends are careful to keep a record of all marriages births deaths and burials. None have removed from or come amongst us without certificates
10th Friends are concerned to deal with offenders as set forth in the query, but it has not always been done as seasonably as would have been best. Judgment has been placed where it appear necessary when occasion has arisen therefor.

No further business appearing we conclude further to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will. Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 1st of the 7th mo. 1897

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives thereto named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley whose name being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

We have at this time the company of our esteemed friends Enoch Corbin and Catherine his wife who produced a copy of a minute from the Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Spring River, Kansas on the 21st of 4th mo. 1897 liberating them to attend some of the meetings belonging to Western and Ohio Yearly Meetings, and to visit some of the families if way opens for it. Also to attend New England Yearly Meeting. Their company and labor of love amongst us have been comforting. The Clerk is directed to furnish them with a copy of this minute and signed on our behalf the women meeting uniting herein.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 11th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of the 10th mo. 1897

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representative therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Jos S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 2nd of 12th mo. 1897

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse Tucker and George H. Gifford whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth the 7th of 11th Mo. 1878

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and their answers are to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Job S. Gidley Jesse R. Tucker George H. Tiffin and Jesse Tucker whom we have appointed to that service and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf and they are directed to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

Answers to the queries 1st. All of our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Meetings on first days are generally attended by most of our members, but mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few. The hour is pretty well observed. There is but little appearance of sleep and no other unbecoming behavior has come to our knowledge. Some care has been extended in these deficiencies. 2nd Love and unity appear to be pretty well maintained and detraction is guarded against, no differencies have been manifested. 3rd We think Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, and to restrain them from pernicious reading; still we think there should be more care exercised in these respects and some appear not to be sufficiently exemplary themselves. We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in most Friends families.

4th The use of spirituous liquors in our families, we believe is only for medicinal purposes. Our members are mostly clear in frequenting places of public resort, and keep in moderation and temperance on the occasions referred to in the query.

5th No Friends amongst us have been in need of pecuniary assistance since our last account.

6th Parents and heads of families are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline while some of the young and unmarried manifest but little regard thereto. 7th We think that Friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and to settle their accounts, that they are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts, and are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

9th Friends are careful to keep a record of all marriages, births deaths and burials. There has been one removal without a certificate.

10th Friends are concerned to deal with offenders as set forth in the query. We think judgment has been placed in the authority of truth where it appears necessary when occasion has arisen therefor.

No other business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will. Job S. Gilley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of 7th mo. 1898

By an account received, received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Job S. Gilley whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gilley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 10th mo. 1898. By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gilley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 12th of 12th Mo. 1895

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and George H. Gifford whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 4th Mo. 1896

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Jesse Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read the answers are to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Job S. Gidley, Jesse Tucker James H. Tucker and George H. Gifford whom we have appointed to that service and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

and they are requested to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

Answers to the queries. 1st. All our meetings both for worship and discipline have been held except one meeting for worship on first-day which was not held on account of a severe storm. Meetings are generally attended on first-days by the greater part of our members, but some neglect the attendance of mid-week meetings and those for discipline. The same is pretty well observed And much appearance of sleep, and no other unbecoming behavior noticed, 2nd. Love and unity pretty well maintained and detraction guarded against.

No differences have come to our notice.

3rd. Friends are concerned to bring up their children in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel.

to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and are generally exemplary herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures, we believe, are frequently read in most friends families. 4th We believe friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, The unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, are mostly avoided, True moderation is observed on the occasions referred to in this query. 5th There are none amongst us needing pecuniary assistance Some care is taken in the education of friends children. No children are placed from among friends. 6th Friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline. But the young and unmarried do not always pay sufficient regard thereto. 7th We know of no friends who have not maintained our testimony in regard to the several parts of this query. 8th We believe friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts. That they are punctual to their promises and just in the payment of their debts and live within the bounds of their circumstances. 9th Friends are careful with respects to their records None have come amongst us without certificates. One Friend removed to a place without the limits of any meeting with which we correspond. 10th Due care to deal with offenders has not always been taken as seasonably as would have been best. No instance of placing judgment since our last account.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Jos S. Gilley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 7th Mo. 1899

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford & Jesse Tucker whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended. The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude Interpoising to meet at this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of 10th Mo. 1899

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Jesse R Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read. No further business appearing we conclude Interpoising to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of 12th Mo. 1899

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Giffone and James H. Tucker whose names being called one of whom is present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude Interpoising to meet in this place in the 4th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at South Dartmouth the 5th of 4th Mo. 1900

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse Tucker and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Robt S. Tidby, George H. Gifford, James H. Tucker and Jesse Tucker and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf, and they are directed to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

Answers to the Queries

First— All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held and those on first days have been pretty well attended. Mid week meetings and those for discipline much neglected by a few. The hours pretty well observed, but much appearance of sleep, of other unbecoming behavior clear.

2nd " Love and unity are pretty well maintained and detraction is guarded against. No differences have come to our knowledge.

3rd " We believe Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech behavior and apparel and to restrain them from pernicious reading and conversation. The Holy Scriptures, we believe are frequently read in most friends families.

4th " Friends appear to be careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicinal purposes and to avoid the frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, also to keep in moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

5th mo. The circumstances of the poor are attended to. No children are placed from among friends.

6th mo. Friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline; but the young and unmarried do not always pay sufficient regard thereto.

7th mo. Friends bear their testimony against the payment of priests wages and all military matters. Clear in regard to the other parts of the query.

8th mo. We think Friends are mostly careful to inspect their affairs and to settle their accounts and are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts, and endeavor to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

9th mo. Our records are attended to. None removed from or come among us without certificates.

10th mo. Friends feel a concern to deal with offenders as our discipline requires but it is not always done as seasonably as would have been best. No judgment has been passed since our last account.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gilley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 7th Mo. 1900.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and John S. Wilbur whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 10th Mo. 1900.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John S. Wilbur and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 12th Mo. 1900

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th M. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gilby Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 4th M. 1901

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives Job S. Gilby, James H. Tucker, Henry H. Gifford, and John T. Wilbur and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf. and they are directed to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

James H. Tucker and Henry H. Gifford are appointed a committee to settle with the Treasurer of this Meeting, and propose the name of a Friend for Treasurer for the ensuing year, and they are directed to report to our next Quarterly Meeting

Answers to the Queries

1st " All our meetings for religious worship and discipline, have been held. Meetings on First-days have been attended by most of our members

Mid-week meetings and those for discipline have been much neglected by some of our members. The hour is pretty well observed.

Not much appearance of sleep. No other unbecoming behavior noticed.

2nd " Love and unity are pretty well maintained and detraction guarded against.

No differences apparent.

3rd mo. We believe Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech department and apparel, also to guard them against pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, Some Friends are exemplary herein themselves and we think the Holy Scriptures are often read in their families.

4th mo. We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors, except for medicine.

They are clear of the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and moderation is observed on the occasions referred to in the query.

5th mo. The circumstances of the poor are attended to.
No children placed from among Friends.

6th mo. Friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline, but the young and unmarried do not always pay sufficient heed thereto.

7th mo. We think Friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

8th mo. We think Friends are mostly careful to inspect their affairs and to settle their accounts, and are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts and endeavor to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

9th mo. Our records are attended to, None removed from or come amongst us without certificates.

10th mo. Friends feel a concern to deal with offenders as our discipline requires but it is not always done as seasonable as would have been best.

No judgments has been placed since our last account.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

per S. Hilles Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 7th Mo. 1901.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Geo. H. Gifford and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meting reports that they all attended.

The committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meting to settle with the Treasurer of this Meting and propose the name of a Friend for Treasurer for the ensuing year have produced the following report which is satisfactory and John S. Wilbur is appointed Treasurer for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

No further business appearing we conclude if purposing to meet at this place in the 10th month next is consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 10th month 1901.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and John S. Wilbur whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude if purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of the 12th Mo. 1901

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and Henry T. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 4th Mo. 1902.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The time for which the clerk of this meeting was appointed having expired, Job S. Gidley is reappointed clerk for the ensuing year or until another appointment.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are directed to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives John T. Wilbur, Job S. Gidley, Henry T. Gidley, George H. Gifford and James H. Tucker and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1902.

1st " All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held; and attended on First days by a considerable part of our members who are in suitable health; but there seems to be a lack of a right concern on the part of some to keep up the attendance of mid-week meetings and those for discipline. The hour is pretty well observed. But little appearance of sleep. No other unbecoming behavior noticed.

2nd " Love and unity appear to be pretty well maintained and detraction guarded against. No differences have appeared.

3rd " We believe Friends are desirous of bringing up those under their direction in plainness as required by the query. Also to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and are mostly good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures we think are frequently read in Friends families.

4th " The unnecessary frequenting of places of public resort are mostly avoided. Moderation is observed on the occasions referred to in the query.

5th " The circumstances of the poor are considered and their necessities relieved. All children of school age have school advantages. No children placed from among Friends.

6th " Parents and heads of families feel a concern that all procedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

7th " As far as appears, our members are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

8th " We believe Friends with little exception exercise care in inspecting their affairs and in settling their accounts are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts and endeavor to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

9th Our records are attended to. None removed from or come amongst us without certificate

10th Some care has been taken to deal with offenders as our discipline requires, but no judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 7th Mo. 3rd 1902.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley and Geny A. Mitchell whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended with one exception. For whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The Queries with answers & the first, second and tenth have been read

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 10th Mo. 2nd 1902

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and Jesse Tucker whose names being called one of them is present. A satisfactory reason was given for the absence of the other.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 12th Mo. 1902

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 4th Mo. 2nd 1903.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George A. Mitchell and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives George H. Gifford, Job S. Gidley and James H. Tucker and they are requested to report their attendance to our next meeting and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf

This meeting unites with Dartmouth Monthly Meeting in the appointment of George H. Gifford to the station of Elder, the Women's meeting concurring herein. This meeting unites with the Women's Meeting in the approval of the gift and public appearance in the ministry of Isabelle L. Gifford.

The Clerk is directed to forward this information to the Yearly Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk

Answers to the Queries 1903.

Answer First – All of our meetings both for religious worship and discipline have been held. Meetings on First-days are generally attended by most of our members who are in suitable health; but on the part of some, a right concern seems to be lacking especially in the attendance of mid-week meetings and those for discipline.

The hour is pretty well observed, there is but little appearance of sleep, and no other unbecoming behavior has come to our notice.

Answer Second – Love and unity are pretty well maintained, detraction guarded against and no differences have come to our knowledge.

Answer Third – We believe friends desire to bring up those under their care in plainness as queried after; also to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and for the most part are good examples therein themselves

The Holy Scriptures we believe, are frequently read in Friends families

Answer Fourth – We believe friends avoid the use of spirituous liquors, the frequenting places of public resort; and observe moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

Answer Fifth – The circumstances of the poor are inspected and their necessities relieved All children of School age attend the public schools. No children placed from among friends.

Answer Sixth – Parents and heads of families are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline

Answer Seventh— We believe friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Answer Eighth— We believe friends exercise care in inspecting their affairs and in settling their accounts, are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts and endeavor to live within the bounds of their circumstances

Answer Ninth— Friends are careful in keeping a record of marriages, births, deaths and burials.

Answer Tenth— Friends are concerned to deal with all offenders as queried after.

No judgment has been placed since our last account.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 7th Mo. 2nd 1903.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are John T. Wilbur and Parnas H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude to propose to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

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At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 10th Mo. 1st 1903.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Geo. A. Mitchell and Henry T. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The clerk being absent John T. Wilbur is appointed clerk for the day.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

John T. Wilbur Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 12th Mo. 3rd 1903

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Geo. H. Gifford and Henry T. Gidley whose names being called one of whom is present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job L. Gidley Clerk.

1904 At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 4th Mo. 7th 1904.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and George A. Mitchell whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our representatives James H. Tucker, George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whom we appoint to that service; and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf and they are requested to report their attendance to our next Quarterly Meeting.

The Women Friends inform this meeting that they unite with Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends in the appointment of Sarah E. Mitchell and Susanna N. Gidley to the station of Elder, with which this meeting unites and the clerk is directed to forward this information to the ensuing Yearly Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude finishing to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Answers to Queries

First— All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held, and attended on First-days by most of our members who are in suitable health, but there seems to be a lack of a right concern on the part of some to keep up the attendance of mid-week meetings and those for discipline.

The hour is pretty well observed, But little appearance of sleep. No other unbecoming behavior noticed.

Second— Love and unity are well maintained and detraction is guarded against. No differences have come to our knowledge.

Third— Friends exercise some care to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel and to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation and are mostly good examples therein themselves

We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in friends' families.

Fourth— Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors, the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort. And to keep in true moderation and temperance on account of births, marriages, burials and on other occasions.

Fifth— The circumstances of the poor are inspected and their necessities relieved. All children of school age attend public schools.

No children placed from among friends.

Sixth— Parents and heads of families are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Seventh— Friends maintain a faithful testimony against the payment of priests wages, bearing arms, training and other military matters. and are clear in regard to the other parts of the query.

Eighth— We believe friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts. are punctual to their promises and just in the payment of their debts and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

1904. Tenth- Friends are careful & have their marriages, births, deaths and burials duly recorded.

- So. Friends have removed from or come amongst us without certificates

Tenth— Some care has been taken to deal with offenders as queries after, but no judgment has been placed since our last account.

Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at No. Dartmouth the 7th of 7th Mo. 1904.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George A. Mitchell and John S. Wilbur whose names being called they are present and answered thereto.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended to the 1st 2nd and 10th

The Queries with answers thereto have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Month next if consistent with the Divine will

Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at No Dartmouth the 6th of Tenth Month 1904

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whose names being called they are present

At this point John S. Wilbur is appointed clerk for the day.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th have been read.

Our dear Friend James H. Tucker laid before this meeting a prospect of attending Iowa Yearly Meeting to be held at Spring River and some of the meetings composing it; and also attend a few of the meetings within the limits of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and attend to such other service as Truth may open the way therefor, as expressed in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. His prospect after a time of deliberation thereon was united with, by this and our Women's Quarterly Meeting, and he is left at liberty to move therein as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister with whom we have unity, and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign the same on behalf of this meeting in conjunction with the clerk of the Women's Quarterly Meeting

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley laid before this meeting a prospect which has been for some time upon his mind of attending the approaching Yearly Meeting to be held at Cedar Grove, North Carolina, a few of the meetings within the limits of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, if way should open for it, and other services for which Truth may open the way: as expressed in the minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting. His prospect after a time of deliberation thereon was united with by this and the Women's Quarterly Meeting and he is left at liberty to move therein as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister with whom we have unity; and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign the same on our behalf in conjunction with the clerk of the Women's Quarterly Meeting

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Month next if consistent with the Divine will.

John T. Wilbur
Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 12th Month 1st 1904.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

At this point John T. Wilbur is appointed clerk for the day.

Our beloved Friend Job S. Gidley has at this time, returned the minute made on his behalf in the Tenth Month last with the information that he has been enabled through unmerited mercy to accomplish the visit then in prospect much to the peace and satisfaction of his own mind.

He has also produced extract from the minutes of North Carolina Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Cedar Grove North Carolina from the 26th of the Tenth Month to the 31st of the same inclusive 1904. all of which is satisfactory to us.

No other business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Month next if consistent with the Divine will

John T. Wilbur
Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at No. Dartmouth 4th Mo. 6th 1903—

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are are Jesse R. Tucker and Henry T. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our Friends Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed our representatives and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf and they are to report their attendance at our next Quarterly Meeting

No other business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th Month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk

Answers to the Queries. 1905

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and and discipline have been held, and those on First days have been pretty well attended, Mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few The hour is pretty well observed, But little appearance of sleep and no other undecorum behavior noticed.

Ans. 2nd Love and unity are pretty well maintained and detraction is guarded against, No differences have come to our knowledge.

Ans. 3rd Friends are careful to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and are mostly good examples therein themselves, We believe the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans 4th We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors, the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and keep in moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

Ans 5th There are none in need of pecuniary assistance There are no children placed from among Friends.

Ans 6th. Parents and heads of families have a concern with the young and unmarried, that all proceedings with respect to marriage be according to our discipline.

Ans 7th We believe Friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans 8th We think Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts; that they are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of their debts and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances

Ans 9th We believe Marriages, Births, Deaths and Burials are duly recorded. None removed from or come among us without certificates,

Ans. 10th Friends have a concern to deal with offenders as our discipline requires, but no judgment has been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 7th Mo. 1905.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Giffords and Jesse R. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they attended.

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 10th Mo. 5th 1905

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

Our dear Friend James H. Tucker returned his Minute granted him by this Meeting the 28th of 9th Mo. 1904 together with a returning Minute from Kansas Yearly Meeting which is satisfactory to us.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Tidby Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 12th Mo. 7th 1905.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing, we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Tidby Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of 4th Mo. 1906

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named & attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Henry T. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our friends Job S. Gidley, George A. Mitchell, George H. Gifford and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf and they are requested to report their attendance at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1906.

Answer 1st — All our meetings both for religious worship and discipline have been held and attended on First days by the larger part of our members Mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few.

Some appearance of sleep when assembled; no other unbecoming behavior noticed.

Ans. 2nd — Love and unity appear to be well maintained and detraction is guarded against.

No differences have come to our knowledge.

Ans. 3rd — Friends, we believe, have a concern to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, to refrain

them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and are mostly good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends' families.

Ans 4th - We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors, the frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and keep in true moderation and temperance on the occasions referred to in the query.

Ans. 5th - There are none needing pecuniary assistance. No children placed from among friends.

Ans 6th Parents and heads of families we believe have a concern that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to discipline.

Ans 7th We believe Friends bear a faithful testimony against all things alluded to in this query.

Ans 8th Friends, we believe, are clear as to the several parts of this query.

Ans. 9 - Friends are careful to have all marriages, births deaths and burials duly recorded.

Ans. 10th - Care is taken to deal with all offenders as our discipline requires, but no judgment has been placed since our last account.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of 7th Month 1906.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Henry T. Gidley whose name being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 10th Month 1906.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George H. Gifford and Jesse R. Tucker whose name being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th of 12th Month 1906.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are George A. Mitchell and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th have been read. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 4th Month 1907.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Job S. Gidley and James H. Tucker whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our friends Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf, and they are requested to report their attendance at our next Quarterly Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the 7th Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1907

Answer 1st. - All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Meetings on First-days have been pretty well attended, but mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few.

The hour is pretty well observed. Not quite clear in regard to sleep. No other unbecoming behavior noticed.

Ans. 2nd. - Love and unity, we believe, are well maintained and no differences have come to our knowledge.

Ans. 3rd. We believe Friends endeavor to bring up their children in a good degree of plainness and to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation and for the most part are exemplary themselves.

We think the Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families.

Ans. 4th. Friends, we believe, avoid the use of spirituous, the unnecessary frequenting of places of public resort and observe moderation on the occasions referred to in the query.

Ans. 5th - There are nr Friends in need of pecuniary aid. All children have an opportunity to acquire an education to fit them for business.

No children are placed from among Friends.

Ans. 6th - Friends appear to be concerned that our members should support the requirements of Discipline with respect to marriage.

Ans - 7th We believe Friends are clear in the several parts of this query.

Ans 8th We believe Friends are clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans 9th - Our records are attended to. There have been nr removals without certificates

Ans 10th - Friends continue to feel a concern on the important subject of this query and some care has been extended.

No judgment has been placed since our last account.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 7th Mo. 4th 1907

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Luckin and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Tenth Month, ... if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of Tenth Month 1907.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and George H. Gifford whose names being called they are present.

The Queries with answers to the first, second, and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Twelfth Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of Twelfth Month 1907. By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Fourth Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of Fourth Month 1908

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Job S. Gidley whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers thereto have been read and they are to be forwarded to our next Yearly Meeting by our Friends Jesse R. Tucker,

James H. Tucker and Job S. Gidley whom we have appointed as our representatives thereto and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign it on our behalf, and they are requested to report to our next meeting.

The proposition to hold the business meetings of Men and Women Friends in joint sessions coming up from the Monthly Meeting was considered and we were united in asking permission from the Yearly Meeting to do so.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the Seventh Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

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Answers to the Queries 1908.

Ans 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held and attended on First days by most of our members.

Mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few. The hour is pretty well observed; Mostly clear of sleep and no other unbecoming behavior noted.

Ans. 2nd. Love and unity are pretty well maintained and detraction is guarded against.

No differences have come to our knowledge.

Ans. 3rd. Friends are concerned we believe, to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, and restrain them from pernicious reading, and are mostly good examples therein themselves.

The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans. 4th. We believe Friends are careful to maintain our testimonies in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans. 5th We believe Friends are clear in regard to the requirements of this query.

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families with the young and unmarried, are careful, we believe, that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Ans. 7th Friends appear to be clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans. 8th Friends, we believe, are clear in regard to the requirement of this query.

Ans. 9th The records are attended to. There have been no removals without certificates.

Ans. 10th Some care is taken to deal with offenders as queried after.

No judgment that been placed since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Men and Women Friends held at North Dartmouth the 2nd of 7th Mo. 1908.

From an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, James H. Tucker, Susanna W. Gidley and Sarah E. Mitchell whose names being called they are all present

The representatives to the Yearly Meeting report that they all attended

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

This meeting is united in granting liberty to the Monthly Meeting to hold the meetings for business of Men and Women Friends in joint session.

No further business appearing we conclude our sitting to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 12th of 10th Mo. 1908.

The clerk of the meeting being absent Elizabeth G. Wilbur is appointed clerk for the day.

By the account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting we are informed that the representatives appointed to attend this meeting are Suzanna N. Tiddy and James H. Tucker both of whom are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet again at this place in the 12th Mo. next if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur
Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 12th Mo. 1908.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Alice N. Tiddy whose names being called they are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Tiddy Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 12th of 4th Mo. 1909

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Suzanna N. Tiddy whose names being called they are both present.

The queries which are thought to describe our present state have been read and considered

and they are to be forwarded & our approaching Yearly Meeting by our friends Job S. Gidley, Isabella G. Tyson, Susanna M. Gidley and Jesse R. Tucker whom we have named as our representatives to that meeting and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign on our behalf of this meeting and they are to report to our next meeting

Our dear Friend Thomas C. Haynes from Pennsylvania is acceptable with us at this time.

No further business appearing we conclude by meeting & meet at this place in the 7th mo next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk

Answers to the Queries 1909

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held, Meetings on First days have been pretty well attended, Mid week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few. The home is pretty well observed. There is but little appearance of slack. Clear of other unbecoming behavior.

Ans 2nd Love and unity, we believe are well maintained and detraction guarded against. No differences have been brought to our attention

Ans 3rd We believe that Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel; to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and desire to be good examples therein themselves, The Holy Scriptures, we believe, are frequently read in Friends families.

Ans 4th Friends are clear of the use of spirituous liquors and they generally avoid places of public resort & observe moderation on most occasions.

Ans. 5th There are none needing assistance and.
no children have been placed from among
Friends.

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families are concerned
that all proceedings with respect to marriage
be conformable to our discipline.

Ans. 7th We believe Friends are clear in regard to the
several heads of this query.

Ans. 8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect
their affairs, and settle their accounts and
are punctual to their promises and just in
the payment of their debts and are careful
to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th The records have been attended to, No
removals without certificates.

Ans. 10th We think a concern is felt by Friends
to deal with offenders in accordance with our
discipline, but owing to our small number,
this important duty is sometimes neglected.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends
held at North Dartmouth 7th Mo. 14th 1909.

By an account received from Dartmouth
Monthly Meeting of Friends, the representatives therein
named to attend this meeting are Mary S. Gidley
Sarah E. Mitchell and Jannie H. Tucker who
are all present.

One of the representatives to the
Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended
The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd
and 10th have been read.

No further business appearing
we conclude purposing to meet at this place
in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the
Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of 10th Mo. 1909

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives thereon named to attend this meeting are George H. Mitchell and Elizabeth E. Gillam who are both present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read,

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 12th of 12th Mo. 1909,

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives thereon named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker and Sarah E. Mitchell whose names being called one of whom present, a satisfactory reason was given for the absence of the other

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th have been read,

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk,

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 7th of 4th Mo. 1910

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives thereon to attend this meeting are Elizabeth B. Tucker and Job S. Gidley both of whom are present. The queries with answers thereto which are thought to describe our present state have been read at this time and they are to be forwarded to our approaching Yearly Meeting by our friends Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Jesse R. Tucker, Sarah E. Mitchell

James H. Tucker and Susanna N. Gidley whom we have named as our representatives & that Meeting and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account & that Meeting and sign it on our behalf and they are to report at our next Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1910.

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Those on First days are pretty well attended. Those on week days and some for business not so well attended. The hour is pretty well observed. Friends are mostly preserved from sleeping, clear of other unbecoming behavior.

Ans 2nd Love and unity are pretty well maintained and detraction is guarded against. No differences have come to our notice.

Ans 3rd Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior, and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading and from corrupt conversation, and to be good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans 4th Friends are clear in the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine and generally avoid places of public resort, and observe moderation and temperance on most occasions.

Ans 5th None needing assistance. No children placed from among Friends.

Ans 6th We believe parents and heads of families are desirous that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline. One instance of keeping company with one not a member with view to marriage.

Ans 7th Friends appear to be clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans. 8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect their affairs, and to settle their accounts, and are punctual & their promises, and just in the payment of their debts and are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th The records are attended to, No removals without certificates

Ans. 10th We believe Friends feel a concern & deal with offenders as our discipline requires, but more care in this regard would be desirable.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 7th mo. 7th 1910.

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker and Sarah E. Mitchell whose names being called both are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one who was absent on account of sickness.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth have been read.

A communication from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Men and Women Friends was received and read at this time concerning the subject of being attached to this Quarterly Meeting. After a time of deliberation thereon it was concluded to appoint Job S. Gidley. Sarah E. Mitchell Elizabeth G. Wilbur and Jesse R. Tucker a committee to confer with a similar committee from Nantucket Monthly Meeting & take the subject under their consideration and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 12th Mo. 1st 1910

By an account received from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jane H. Luden Isabelle L. Gifford and Alice N. Gidley, whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers & the first second and tenth have been read.

One of the committee appointed at our last meeting & confer with a committee from Nantucket Monthly Meeting reports that they have attended & the duty of their appointment and it was satisfactory as will be more clearly shown by a communication from that Monthly Meeting.

A communication from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends was received and read at this time, and after a time of deliberation thereon it was united with and that Monthly Meeting is now regarded a part of this Quarterly Meeting. The clerk is directed to forward thereto a copy of this minute and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th month next & if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 4th Mo. 6th 1911

The time for which the clerk of this Meeting was appointed, having expired it was concluded to reappoint Job S. Gidley for clerk for the ensuing year or till another appointment.

James N. Oliver is appointed Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year or till another appointment.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named & attend this meeting are, Mary Anna Oliver, Wm. J. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, Jesse R. Tucker, Alice N. Gidley, and Isabelle L. Tiffin whose names being called they are all present.

The queries have been read together with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, A Summary of the answers was also read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Susanna N. Gidley, Mary Anna Oliver, Sarah E. Mitchell, Mary E. Foster, James H. Tucker, Job S. Gidley and Jesse R. Tucker whom we have named as our representatives, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that meeting and sign it on our behalf, and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude to purpose to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1911.

Ans 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held. Meetings on First-days are pretty well attended. Mid-week meetings and those for discipline are neglected by a few. The hour is pretty well observed. Not clear of sleep. No other unbecoming behavior to report.

Ans 2nd Love and unity are maintained, Detraction is guarded against. No differences that we know of.

Ans 3rd Friends feel a concern to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading and corrupt conversation, and desire to be good examples herein themselves.

The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans. 4th Friends avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, do not unnecessarily frequent taverns and places of public resort and keep in moderation on the occasions referred to.

Ans. 5th We have no poor needing assistance. Our children freely partake of learning. None placed from among Friends.

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

One marriage with one not a member.

Ans. 7th Friends, we believe, are mostly clear in regard to the several parts of this query.

Ans. 8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, that they are punctual to their promises and just in the payment of their debts and are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th Friends are careful to have all their marriages births, deaths, and burials duly recorded.

One removal without a certificate.

Ans. 10th Care is taken to deal with offenders in accordance with our discipline, but owing to our small number this important duty is sometimes neglected.

No placing of judgment since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 6th & 7th Mos. 1911.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary C. Foster, Wendell F. Oliver, May E. Foster, James H. Oliver, James H. Tucker and May Jessie Carter whose names being called they are all present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries, with answers to the first second and tenth, from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings have been read together with a Summary of those answers which are thought to describe our present state.

The communication which has been received from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends setting forth the prospects of our dear Friend Francis T. Swinden, to visit in the love of the Gospel the different bodies bearing the name of Friends in the West within the limits of this Yearly Meeting and other Yearly Meetings in correspondence with New England Yearly Meeting and such other labor as truth may open the way.

After a time of deliberation thereon this meeting expressed full unity with his concern. And he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister in unity with us.

The clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign the same on behalf of this meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Jos S. Tidby Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of 10th mo. 1911.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker, Susanna W. Tidby, Sarah E. Mitchell, William T. Oliver, Mary C. Foster, Elizabeth Tobey and James H. Oliver, whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers to the first, second, and tenth have been read, from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary of those answers.

Our dear Friend James N. Oliver expressed in this meeting a concern which had rested on his mind for some time, to visit in Gospel love, North Carolina Yearly Meeting, and attend some meetings on the way going and returning; as set forth in a minute granted him from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends.

After a time of deliberation therein full unity was expressed with his concern, and he is left at liberty and encouraged to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister with whom we have unity.

The clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign it on behalf of the meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 7th of 12th Mo. 1911

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are. Jesse R. Tucker, Sarah E. Mitchell Alice N. Gidley, Mary C. Foster, and John H. Foster whose names being called they are all present,

The queries with answers thereto from

Dartmouth and Vanbuckel Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary have been read. No further business appearing we conclude postponing it, until at this place in the 4th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Jos S. Gilley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at South Dartmouth. Mass the 4th of 4th Mo. 1912.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Vanbuckel Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein, named to attend this meeting are Isabelle L. Gifford, Sarah E. Mitchell, James H. Tucker, Mary Anna Oliver, Mary C. Foster, Horace B. Foster and James H. Oliver, whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Vanbuckel Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our friends Mary C. Foster, Horace B. Foster, Isabelle L. Gifford, Mary Anna Oliver, William J. Oliver, Jesse R. Tucker, Charles K. Foster, and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives, and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that Meeting and they are requested to report at our next meeting.

Our dear friend Francis T. Swinton returned the minute granted him in the 7th Mo. last together with returning minutes from Upper Springfield Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Damascus Ohio 9 Mo. 19th 1911 from Western Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Sugar Grove near Plainfield Indiana from the 2nd of 10th Mo. to the 5th of the same inclusive 1911,

from Iowa Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Earlham Iowa 10th Mo. 16th 1911, from Kansas Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Emporia Kansas from the 20th of 10th Mo. to the 26th of the same inclusive 1911, from Still Water Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Still Water Ohio, from West Branch Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Stavanger 15th Mo. 18th 1911, from Hickory Grove Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Whittier Iowa 11th Mo. 25 1911, from West Union Monthly Meeting of Friends held near Monrovia Morgan County Indiana 12th Mo. 6th 1911, from Chester Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Chesterfield Ohio 16th of 12th Mo. 1911, from Somerset Monthly Meeting of Friends held 12th Mo. 21st 1911 from Hickory Grove Monthly Meeting of Iowa, from Scipio Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Poplar Ridge N.Y. 1st Mo. 10th 1912. which have all been read at this time. And all of these returning minutes express appreciation of his labors of love amongst them, which is satisfactory to us.

Our dear Friend James W. Oliver returned the minute granted him for the 10th Mo. last with returning minute from North Carolina Yearly Meeting of Friends held at Cedar Grove near Woodland North Carolina from the 4th of 11th Mo. to the 9th of the same inclusive 1911, and from Rich Square Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Cedar Grove N.C. 11th Mo. 18th 1911 and from Oak Grove Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Oak Grove N.C. 11th 11th 1911., from Eastern Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Snow Hill N.C. 11th Mo. 25th 1911 and from Scipio Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Poplar Ridge the 10th of 1st Mo. 1912. All of these returning minutes express good satisfaction with his labors of love amongst them which is satisfactory to us.

No other business appearing we conclude further to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Jos. S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1912

Ans. 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held except a few for worship on account of sickness. Meetings on First-days are pretty well attended, Mid-week meetings and those for discipline are much neglected by a few. The hour is observed. Not clear of sleep. No other unbecoming behavior noticed. Ans. 2nd Love and unity are, in a good degree maintained and detraction is guarded against. No differences are known to exist.

Ans. 3rd Friends are careful, and endeavor to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading, and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and endeavor to be good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in Friends families.

Ans. 4th Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine the unnecessary frequenting places of public resort, and keep in true moderation on all occasions.

Ans. 5th There are none needing pecuniary assistance. No children placed from among Friends.

Ans. 6th. Parents and heads of families are careful that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Ans. 7th We believe Friends endeavor to maintain a faithful testimony in regard to the several parts of this query except a few have attended the meetings of other denominations.

Ans. 8th. So far as we know, Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, are punctual to their promises, and just in the payment of their debts, and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances. Ans. 9th. Friends are careful to have all their marriages, births, deaths and burials recorded. Ans. 10th Friends are desirous to take due care in dealing with offenders, that it be done in the spirit of meekness and wisdom without partiality or much unnecessary delay, but owing to our small number we feel that the labor of love for their restoration is sometimes neglected. As to placing of judgment since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 4th of 7th Mo. 1912

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Susanna W. Gidley Jesse R. Tucker, Mary E. Foster, Rebecca H. Otis, Isabel S. Gifford, Horace B. Foster and Mary C. Foster, whose names being called they are all present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given,

It was concluded to re-appoint Job S. Gidley for Clerk and James W. Oliver for Assistant Clerk for the ensuing year or until another appointment,

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will. Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 10th Mo. 3rd 1912. By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Susanna W. Gidley Jesse R. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, James H. Tucker, Mary Anna Oliver, Susanna H. Grinnell, William J. Oliver, and Horace B. Foster whose names being called they are all present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given. The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 5th of 12th Mo. 1912

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker James H. Tucker, Alice W. Gidley, Mary Anna Oliver, Mary C. Foster, Edward H. Foster, and William T. Oliver, whose names being called they are all present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given,

The queries with answers to the first second and tenth from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary have been read;

No further business appearing we conclude to propose to meet at this place in the 4th month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk,

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 4th Month 1913,

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Alice W. Gidley, Sarah E. Mitchell, Susanna H. Swinden, John H. Foster, Mary C. Foster and Horace B. Foster whose names being called they are all present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given,

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Alice W. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Horace B. Foster, William T. Oliver, Mary C. Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, and Jesse R. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting.

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley laid before this meeting a concern which had rested with weight upon his mind for some time to visit in Gospel love some of the meetings

in Ohio, North Carolina, and New England Yearly Meetings also Scipio Quarterly Meeting and appoint some meetings his Monthly Meeting having given full unity therewith.

Part of the concern was accomplished but this Meeting fully unites with his prospect and leaves him at liberty to finish the service as Truth opens the way he being a minister with whom we have unity and the meeting directs the Clerk to give him a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at the usual time in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine Will

James H. Oliver Clerk for the day.

Answers to the Queries 1913. Ans. 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held except a few meeting in one place and one meeting in another place when friends were away from home, and attended by those who are of ability and not prevented by distance. One account states that mid-week meetings and those for discipline are neglected by a few. The hour is nearly observed. No other unbecoming behavior therein.

Ans. 2nd Love and unity are, in a good degree maintained, detraction is guarded against. There are no difference that we know of.

Ans. 3rd Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and endeavor to be good examples herein themselves, yet a greater concern in these respects would be desirable.

The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans. 4th Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, and the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort and are careful to keep in true moderation and temperance on most occasions.

Ans. 5th Circumstances of the poor are inspected and their necessities are relieved. Our children freely partake of learning to fit them for business. No children are placed from among friends.

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Ans. 7th Friends Maintain a faithful testimony against the payment of priests wages, bearing arms, training or other military matters against being concerned in property taken in war, buying or vending goods suspected to be run, and against making false entries to evade the payment of duties.

Ans 8th Friends, as far as we know, are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, are punctual to their promises and just in the payment of their debts, and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th Friends are careful to have all their marriages, births, and deaths and burials duly recorded.

Ans 10th We believe Friends feel exercised to deal with offenders as grieved after and to place judgment where it appears necessary; but owing to our small numbers we feel that it is sometimes neglected.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 3rd of 7th Mo. 1913.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Charles K. Carter, Alice N. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Mary E. Foster, Horace B. Foster, James N. Oliver, and Mary Anna Oliver whose names being called they are all present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary have been read.

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley returned the minute given him by our Quarterly Meeting held 4th mo. 3rd 1913 liberating him to attend Scipio Quarterly Meeting N. Y. and some other service

He presented a minute from that Quarterly Meeting expressing satisfaction with his company and service which is acceptable to this meeting. He also expresses that the concern had been accomplished to the peace and comfort of his mind.

Isabel C. Gifford, Horace B. Foster, Job S. Gidley, James W. Oliver, Jesse R. Tucker, Mary Anna Oliver, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, William J. Oliver and Alice W. Gidley are appointed a committee to consider the holding of some meetings among scattered Friends and others as way opens to do so.

No other business claiming our attention at this time we conclude purposing to meet at North Dartmouth at the usual time in tenth month next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 2nd of 10th mo. 1913.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, Isabel C. Gifford, Alice W. Gidley, Mary Anna Oliver, Horace B. Foster, Mary E. Foster, and William J. Oliver whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers to the first, second and tenth from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary have been read.

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley has brought before this meeting a concern which he feels to attend North Carolina Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings within the limits of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, also appoint one or two meetings within the limits of those yearly meetings, and such other service as Truth may open the way for. The same being set forth in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held 9th mo. 24th 1913. After a time of deliberation, full unity was expressed and he is left at liberty and encouraged to proceed therein as Best Wisdom may direct. He being a minister with whom we have unity. The clerk is directed to give him a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

Our dear Friend Mary C. Foster opened in this meeting a concern to visit in gospel love, both Cardinia Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it; The same being set forth in a minute granted her by Nantucket Monthly Meeting held at Lynn Mass. 9th Mo. 25th 1913.

After a time of deliberation, full unity was expressed with her concern, and she is set at liberty and encouraged to pursue her prospect as Best Wisdom may direct, she being a minister with whom we have unity.

The Clerk is directed to give her a copy of this minute and sign it on our behalf.

Our dear Friend Horace B. Foster, an Elder in good esteem among us has expressed in this meeting a concern to accompany his wife, Mary C. Foster in her proposed visit to both Cardinia Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it; the same being set forth in a minute granted him by Nantucket Monthly Meeting held at Lynn, 9th Mo. 25th 1913.

After a time of deliberation full unity was expressed with his desire and he is left at liberty to accompany her. The Clerk is directed to give him a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

No further business claiming our attention at this time we conclude purposing to meet at both Dartmouth at the usual time in the 12th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

James H. Oliver Clerk at this time.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at both Dartmouth Mass. 12th Mo. 4th 1913.

By accounts received from Dartmouth, and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are, Jesse R. Tucker, Elizabeth B. Tucker, James H. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, William T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, and Elizabeth Foster, whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a summary have been read in this meeting & describe our present state.

Our dear Friend Jos. S. Gidley returned, at this time, a minute granted him at our last Quarterly Meeting to attend North Carolina Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings within the limits of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and also to appoint some meetings and such other service as Truth opened the way for. He stated that the prospect had been accomplished to the peace and comfort of his mind, and the retrospect was pleasant. He also presented a returning minute from North Carolina Yearly Meeting expressing satisfaction and unity with his services and that his labors of love had been very acceptable and encouraging to them.

Our dear Friend Mary C. Foster returned, at this time, the minute granted her at our last Quarterly Meeting to attend North Carolina Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it. She expressed that her prospect had been accomplished to the satisfaction of her mind and produced a returning minute from North Carolina Yearly Meeting and from Southern Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at New Hope Randolph Co. N. C. expressing unity with her services and acceptable company.

Our dear Friend Horace B. Foster, at this time returned the minute granted him by our last Quarterly Meeting to accompany his wife in her concern to visit North Carolina Yearly Meeting. He stated that it had truly been a satisfaction to sit in the meeting of those dear Friends and presented returning minutes from North Carolina Yearly Meeting and from Southern Quarterly Meeting expressing unity with this company.

No other business coming before us we conclude for purposing to meet at North Dartmouth at the usual time in the 4th. month next if so permitted.

James N. Oliver Clerk for the time.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 4th. month 2nd. 1914.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are. Adare R. Tucker, Elizabeth C. Gidley, Sarah E. Mitchell, Susanna H. Gardner, Mary Anna Oliver, James N. Oliver and Mary C. Foster whose names being called they are all present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, together with a [illegible] which is thought descriptive of our present state have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Mary C. Foster, James M. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Horace B. Foster, William T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, Isabel C. Gifford, Jesse R. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary accounts to that Meeting and sign the same on account of this Meeting and they are requested to report at our next meeting.

This Meeting unites with the action taken by Nantucket Monthly Meeting in the appointment of Mary Anna Oliver to the station of Elder.

A letter has been received and read at this time from our dear Friend Francis T. Swinden informing this Meeting that for sometime it had been on his mind to attend Canada Yearly Meeting and most, if not all of the meetings composing it and to appoint some meetings within the limits of that Yearly Meeting and appoint and attend some meetings going and returning, in Gospel love, as Truth may open the way, After a time of deliberation thereon, full unity was expressed with this concern and he is left at liberty and encouraged to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister with whom we have unity. The clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign it on behalf of the Meeting.

We appoint Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, Horace B. Foster, Mary C. Foster & James M. Oliver, a committee to take into consideration a change in the time of holding the Quarterly in the 12th mo, also a change of the place of holding some of the Quarterly Meetings. The committee is directed to bring the subject before the Yearly Meeting for its approval.

No further business appearing we conclude [illegible] to meet at this place in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk

Answers to the Queries 1914.

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship an discipline have been held except a few at one place where it mem bers were Elsewhere attending meetings, Meetings have been generally attended by most of our members, The hour is nearly observed. Not clear of slesh, No other unbecoming behaviour has been noticed,

Ans. 2nd Love and unity are, in a good degree, maintained and detraction is guarded against; There are no differences that have come to our knowledge,

Ans. 3rd Friends endeavor to be careful in bringing up those under their care, in plainness of Speech behavior and apparel, and to restrain them from pernicious reading and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and endeavor to be good examples herein themselves, The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families,

Ans 4th We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort and to keep in true moderation on most occasions,

Ans. 5th There are none needing assistance, Our children freely partake of learning to fit them for business, No children placed from among Friends,

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families are careful that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline,

Ans. 7th We believe Friends maintain a faithful testimony against the payment of priests wages, bearing arms, training or other military matters, against being concerned in property taken war, buying or vending goods suspected to be run and against making false entries, to evade the payment of duties,

Ans 8th As far as appears, Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, They are punctual to their promises and just in the payment of their debts and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th Friends are careful to have all their marriages births, deaths & burials duly recorded, No removals without certificates,

Ans 10th Friends are desirous to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness & wisdom without partiality or much unnecessary delay, but owing to our small number we feel that it is sometimes neglected, There has been no placing of judgment since our last account,

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at No. Dartmouth Mass. the 2nd of 7th Mo. 1914.

By accounts received from Sandwich and Vantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Job S. Gidley, Sarah E. Mitchell, James H. Tucker, Mary E. Foster and Horace B. Foster whose names being called they are all present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they were all in attendance.

The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

The following communication from our late Yearly Meeting was read "A request coming from Sandwich Quarterly Meeting asking for the privilege of changing the time of holding our Quarterly Meetings from the first Fifth Day in the Twelfth Month to the first 5th Day in the following First Month was granted and the said Quarterly Meeting is left at liberty to make the change" & it was concluded to make the change and the next Quarterly Meeting is to be held on First Fifth Day in First Month next year.

No further business appearing we conclude to adjourn & meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at No. Dartmouth Mass 10th Mo. 1st 1914. By accounts received from Dartmouth and Vantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isabel L. Gifford Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth E. Gidley, Mary E. Foster, James H. Oliver, Emma F. Oliver, and William F. Oliver whose names being called they are all present. The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude to adjourn purposing to meet at this place in the First month next year if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Of Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth Mass. 12th mo. 7th 1913

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are, Jesse R. Tucker Sarah E. Mitchell Mary C. Foster Emma Foster, and William T. Oliver whose names being called whose names being called were all present but one. The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 4th together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude to meet at this place in the Fourth Month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Of Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 4th mo. 4th 1914.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Rachel C. Gifford, Jesse H. Tucker Elizabeth C. Gidley, Jesse R. Tucker, Mary C. Foster, Emma T. Oliver Jesse H. Tucker and William T. Oliver whose names being called they are all present.

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Job S. Gidley Mary Emma Oliver, Elizabeth C. Wilbur, Rachel C. Gifford, Jesse R. Tucker, William T. Oliver, Henry C. Foster and Jesse H. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives, and the clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account to that meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting.

Our dear Friend Francis T. Swinden returned the minute granted him by this Meeting the 2nd of 4th Mo. 1914, together with a returning minute from Canada Yearly Meeting which is satisfactory to this Meeting. A communication from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends in regard to the Burial Ground at Nantucket was read and considered and it was referred to the Overseers and Trustees of Dartmouth Monthly Meeting

Our dear Friend, Joel J. Gilly opened a concern in this Meeting, to visit in gospel love Scipio Quarterly Meeting N. Y. and for such other service as truth should open to him; the same being a part of a concern more fully set forth in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held at Dartmouth 2nd Mo. 24th 1913; After a time of deliberation his prospect was fully united with, and he is liberated and encouraged to proceed as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister with whom we have unity. The clerk is directed to give him a copy of this minute and sign it on behalf.

No further business claiming our attention at this time we conclude our session to meet at North Dartmouth at the usual time in the 7th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

J. H. Oliver Asst. Clerk,

Answers to the Queries 1913.

Ans 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held and attended in first Days by most of our members, who are of ability & not prevented by distance or other unavoidable circumstances, Mid-week meetings & those for discipline neglected by a few. The hour is not so well observed in one meeting as it should be. Not clear of debt. No other unbecoming behavior & remarks.

Ans 2nd Love and unity, are in a good degree, maintained and detraction is guarded against, there are no differences that we know of.

Ans 3rd Friends have a concern to bring up those under their inspection in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, and to restrain them from pernicious reading, and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and endeavor to be good examples therein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans 4th We feel that Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, and the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and observe moderation on marriage occasions.

Ans 5th There are no Friends needing assistance, our children freely partake of learning fit them for business.

No children are placed from among Friends.

Ans. 6th Parents and heads of families are careful that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Ans 7th Friends maintain a faithful testimony, as far as known in maintaining a faithful testimony against the payment of priests wages, bearing arms, training, or other military matters, against being concerned in property taken in war, buying or selling goods suspected to be run, and against making false entries to evade the payment of duties.

Ans 8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, are punctual to their promises, and just in the payment of their debts, and are careful to live within the bonds of their circumstances.

Ans 9th Friends are careful to have all their marriages births, deaths and burials duly recorded. There are none removed from or come among us without certificates.

Ans 10th Friends are desirous to deal with offenders, when occasion requires, in the spirit of meekness and wisdom without partiality or much unnecessary delay, but owing to our small number we feel that it is sometimes neglected. There has been no placing of judgment since our last report.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting held at Dartmouth Mass. 1st & 7th Mo. 1913.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Sandwich Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are, Emma T. Oliver, Horace B. Carter, Mary C. Carter, Mary Emma Oliver, Alice M. Gidley, Ann R. Tucker, Mary Lucie Carter, and John G. Wilbur whose names being called they were all present but two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

The time for which the Clerk and assistant Clerk of this Meeting was appointed having expired it was concluded to re-appoint Robt S. Gidley for Clerk and Emma T. Oliver assistant Clerk for the ensuing year or till others are appointed in their places.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting spoke that they all attended.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Sandwich Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought descriptive of our present state have been read.

Our dear friend Job A. Gidley returned at this time, the minute granted him by this Meeting the 12th of 4th Mo. 1913. He stated that his concern had been accomplished to the peace of his mind, and that the retrospect was pleasant.

He also presented a returning minute from Scipio Quarterly Meeting which was satisfactory to the Meeting.

Our dear friend Job A. Gidley opened at this time, a concern which had rested on his mind, to visit in Gospel love, this Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it, also some other service as Truth may open the way. The same being set forth in a minute given him by Dartmouth Monthly held at North Dartmouth the 23rd of 6th Mo. 1913. After a time of deliberation his prospect was fully united with and he is liberated and encouraged to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct. He being a minister with whom we have unity. The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the Meeting

No other business claiming our attention, at this time we conclude by proposing to meet at North Dartmouth in 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

James H. Oliver Asst Clk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at So. Dartmouth Mass. 10th Mo. 7th 1913

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Sandwich Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Alice H. Gidley, Sarah E. Mitchell, John G. Wilbur, Mary Anna Oliver, Emma T. Oliver, Horace B. Forbes and Mary E. Forbes, whose names being called they are all present but

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Sandwich Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a summary thought to be descriptive of our present state has been read.

No further business appearing, we conclude to adjourn to meet at this place in the first Month next if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at with Dartmouth Mass. 1st mo. 6th 1916.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are James C. Tucker, Isabel L. Gifford, Alice M. Gidley, Emma T. Oliver, Henry C. Foster, and James M. Oliver whose names being called all are present.

The Queries with answers by the 1st 2nd 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a summary which is thought descriptive of our present state have been read.

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley returned at this time the minute granted him in 7th mo. 1st 1913 to visit Ohio Yearly Meeting and other vocal and produced a returning minute expressing satisfaction with his service from Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends Ohio, Upper Springfield Monthly Meeting held at Damascus Ohio, and New Garden Monthly Meeting held at Winona Ohio. He expressed that his concern had been accomplished to the peace of his mind and the retrospect was pleasant.

The returning minutes have been very satisfactory to the Meeting.

No further business claiming our attention, at this time, we conclude to adjourn to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if so permitted

James M. Oliver Asst. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at with Dartmouth Mass. 1st mo. 6th 1916.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Isabel L. Gifford, Job S. Gidley,

John G. Wilbur, Susanna K. Gurnon, Emma T. Olive, James N. Oliver, and Francis T. Gurnon, whose name being called all are present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Yorkshire Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a summary have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Job S. Gidley, Mary Anna Oliver, Horace P. Foster, Mary C. Foster, Jesse R. Tucker and Eliz. Ann G. Wilbur whom we have appointed as our representatives to that.

Meeting and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary account of that Meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting, and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude and adjourn to meet at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1915.

Ans. 1st. All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held and attended on First days by most of our members, who are of ability, and not prevented by distance or other unavoidable circumstance. Mid week and those for discipline are neglected by a few.

The hour is nearly observed. Worldly cleanliness and no other unbecoming behavior has come to our notice.

Ans. 2nd Love and unity are well maintained and detraction is guarded against.

No differences have come to our notice.

Ans. 3rd Friends have a care to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech behavior and apparel, to restrain them from pernicious reading and from the corrupt conversation of the world, and for the most part are good examples therein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans 4th We believe Friends are careful to avoid the use of spirituous liquors except for medicine, also the unnecessary frequenting of taverns and places of public resort, and to keep in true moderation on all occasions.

Ans. 5th There are no Friends needing pecuniary aid. Children freely partake of learning to fit them for business. No children are placed from among Friends.

Ans 6th Friends are concerned that all proceedings with respect to marriage be conformable to our discipline.

Ans 7th Friends maintain a faithful testimony against the payment of priests wages, learning arms, training or other military matters, against being concerned in property taken in war, buying or vending goods ~~ar~~ pleaded to be run, and against making false entries to evade the payment of duties.

Ans 8th We believe Friends are careful to inspect their affairs and settle their accounts, endeavor to be punctual to their promises, prize in the payment of their debts, and careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances.

Ans. 9th We believe Friends have a care to have all their marriages, births, deaths and burials duly recorded. There have been no removals without certificates.

Ans 10th Friends endeavor to take due care when occasion requires, to deal with offenders in the spirit of meekness and wisdom, without partiality in much unnecessary delay. There has been no placing of judgment since our last account.

At Sandwich Quarterly held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 6th of 7th Mo. 1916

By account received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker Annie B. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Mary C. Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, William J. Oliver and Horace B. Foster whose names being called all are present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

The queries with answers to the [illegible] Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

Our dear friend Job S. Gidley laid before this [illegible] concern which had rested for sometime upon his mind to visit in the love of the Gospel Ohio Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it, by appointment or otherwise, also to attend Western, Iowa and Kansas Yearly Meetings, and other service as Truth may open the way, the same being set forth in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held the 21st of 5th Mo. 1916. After a time of deliberation his concern was united with, and he is liberated to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct; he being a minister with whom we have unity. The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed on our behalf.

Our dear friend Mary C. Foster laid before us a concern which had rested upon her mind to visit in Gospel love Ohio Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it, the same being set forth in a minute granted her by Nantucket Monthly Meeting held at Lynn the 29th of 6th Mo. 1916. After deliberate consideration her concern was united with and she is left at liberty to pursue her prospect as Best Wisdom may direct; she being a minister with whom we have unity.

The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute signed on our behalf.

Our dear friend Horace B. Foster expressed, at this time, a concern to accompany his wife on her visit to Ohio Yearly Meeting and the meetings composing it, after due deliberation his concern was united with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect; he being an Elder in good esteem among us. The Clerk is directed to give him a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the Meeting.

As further business claiming our attention we conclude to adjourn to meet at this place in the 10th Mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

James H. Oliver Clerk for the time

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass, the 5th of 10th Mo 1916.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are, James H. Lucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Alice N. Gilley, Rebecca H. Otis, and Mary Anna Oliver whose names being called all are present. The Epistles have all been read together with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings and a Summary which we believe nearly represents our present state.

Our dear friend Mary C. Foster returned, at this time, the minute granted her in the 7th month to visit in Gospel love Ohio Yearly Meeting and some of the meetings composing it, and stated that the visit had been accomplished to the satisfaction of her mind

She produced minutes from Chesterfield, Salem, New Garden and Upper Springfield Monthly Meetings Ohio expressing unity and satisfaction with her company and service which is very satisfactory and acceptable to this Meeting.

Our dear friend Horace B. Foster returned, at this time, the minute granted him in the 7th month

to accompany his wife Mary C. Foster on her visit to Ohio. He stated that it had been instructive and edifying to him mingling with those [illegible]. He also produced minutes of satisfaction with his company from the same meetings, which are also very acceptable to us.

No further business claiming our attention we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 1st mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

James H. Oliver Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth the 4th of 1st mo. 1911.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Isabel C. Gifford, John G. Wilbur, James H. Oliver and William T. Oliver, whose names being called all are present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd mo. and 1st mo. from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to be descriptive of our present state have been read.

Our dear friend Job S. Gidley returned, at this time, the minute granted him in the 1st mo. last, to visit in Gospel love, Ohio, Western, Iowa and Kansas Yearly Meetings, and other service. He expressed that he had accomplished what seemed right for him to do to the satisfaction and peace of his mind and produced minutes from the meetings visited expressing satisfaction with his company and service, which have been read in this Meeting and is very acceptable to us.

No other business claiming our attention, at this time we conclude purposing to meet, at this place, in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

James H. Oliver Clerk for the time

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 4th M. 5th 1917

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Job S. Gidley James H. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Anna Foster, Emma T. Oliver and Horace B. Foster, whose names being called all are present.

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read, and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Job S. Gidley, Jesse R. Tucker, Anna Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Alice H. Gidley, William T. Oliver, Henry C. Foster, Horace B. Foster and James H. Tucker whom we have appointed as our representatives and the Clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary accounts to that meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting; and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude our sitting to meet at this place in the 7th M. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

Answers to the Queries

Ans. 1st All our meetings for religious worship and discipline have been held and attended by most of our members. The hour is nearly observed. Some appearance of sleep no other unbecoming behavior noticed.

Ans. 2nd Love and unity are well maintained and detraction is guarded against. No differences have come to our notice.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at South Dartmouth Mass the 3d of 7th mo. 1917

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are, Mary S. Cope, Jesse R. Tucker, Annie B. Gidley, Susanna H. Gavindon, Horace B. Foster, Mary C. Foster, and James H. Clark whose name being called all are present,

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

All of the records with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

Our dear Friend Francis T. Gavindon expressed in this Meeting a concern which had rested on his mind, for some time, to visit in Gospel love, North Carolina Yearly Meeting, and some or all of the meetings composing it; to attend Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, and to appoint some meetings going and coming, and other service for which Truth may open the way, we as a Meeting granted him a minute

Nantucket Monthly Meeting held the 28th of 6th mo. 1917

After a time of deliberation upon his concern was fully united with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister of the Gospel with whom we have unity.

The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed in behalf of the Meeting,

No further business appearing, we conclude to adjourn to meet at this place, in the 10th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will. Jos S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at South Dartmouth Mass. 10th mo. 4th 1917.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Mary S. Cope Elizabeth G. Wilson,

Jane C. Tucker, Lydia H. Guindon, Jane H. Oliver, and William J. Oliver. whose name being called all are present.

All the Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to be descriptive of our present state have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude just-passing to meet, at this place in the 1st mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 1st mo. 3rd 1918.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Isabel D. Gifford, Job S. Gidley, H. Thaxter Oliver, Mary C. Foster, William J. Oliver, Edward C. Foster, and Herbert H. Gifford whose names being called all are present but two for whose absence satisfactory reasons are given.

All the Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

No further business appearing we conclude purpos-ing to meet, at this place, in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 4th mo. 4th 1918

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Alice H. Gidley Edward C. Foster, Emma J. Oliver, Mary C. Foster, and William J. Oliver whose names being called all are present.

The Queries have all been read with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings

together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends Job S. Gidley, Horace B. Foster, Mary P. Cope, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Alice M. Gidley and William J. Oliver whom we have appointed representatives to that Meeting and they are to report at our next Meeting.

Our dear Friend Francis T. Gundon returned the minute granted him in the 7th month last together with a returning minute from North Carolina Yearly Meeting held at Cedar Grove N.C. and one from Rich Square Monthly Meeting held at Cedar Grove N.C. also one from Eastern Quarterly Meeting held at New Hope N.C. which is satisfactory to the Meeting.

As further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet, at this place in the 7th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 7th mo. 4th 1915.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives appointed to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Mary P. Cope, Elizabeth E. Gidley, Fannie H. Tucker, Elizabeth Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, Horace B. Foster and William J. Oliver.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one for whom absence a satisfactory reason was given.

All of the Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

This Meeting desires to express its grateful appreciation of the course adopted by the War Department in dealing with conscientious objectors. Its considerate treatment of them indicates that the privilege of religious liberty is still recognized in our loved country, and we hope and trust that notwithstanding the efforts now being made to establish compulsory universal

military training will not prevail, but that our inalienable right to freedom of conscience which has helped to make our country a refuge for the oppressed will continue to be maintained,

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this minute to the President and another copy to the Secretary of War and sign them on behalf of the Meeting

No further business appearing we conclude, purposing to meet at this place, in the 10th month next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 1st mo. 2nd 1919

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are, Isabel L. Gifford James H. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, H. Sheldon Oliver, Horace B. Foster Elizabeth Foster, and James H. Oliver whose names being called all are present.

All the Queries with answers to the 1st mo. 2nd mo. 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read,

Our dear friend Job S. Gidley a minister in unity with us has laid before this Meeting a concern which has rested with weight upon his mind for sometime, to visit, in the love of the Gospel Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and some or all of the meetings composing it by appointment or otherwise; to attend Scipio Quarterly Meeting in the state of New York and perform other service as Truth may open the way: The same being set forth in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held the 25th of 12th mo. 1918. After a time of deliberation his concern was set with and he is left at liberty to pursue his prospect as Truth opens the way. The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this signed on behalf of the Meeting,

No further business coming before us at this time, we conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will.

James H. Oliver Asst. Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth Mass. 4th mo. 3rd 1919.

The Clerk and the Assistant Clerk both being absent Elizabeth G. Wilbur and Emma T. Oliver are appointed to serve as Clerks for the day.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings the representatives named to attend this Meeting are William T. Oliver, Emma T. Oliver, Horace B. Foster, Alice H. Gidley, James H. Tucker and Isabel L. Gifford who are all present.

This meeting unites with Dartmouth Monthly Meeting in approving the appointment of Mary J. Cook to the station of Elder.

A minute has been read, at this time from North Carolina Yearly Meeting expressing satisfaction with the Gospel labors of Francis T. Swindon while he was among them which is acceptable to the Meeting.

The Queries have been read with answers to each from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings also Summary which is thought to describe our present state.

We forward this to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Horace B. Foster, Elizabeth E. Gidley, Emma T. Oliver, Henry C. Wilbur, William T. Oliver, Alice H. Gidley and James H. Tucker whom we appoint our representatives.

The Clerk is directed to furnish them with the necessary accounts to that meeting and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting. The representatives are requested to report at our next Meeting.

Our dear friend Mary C. Foster has laid before this Meeting a concern which she has felt for some time to attend Canada Yearly Meeting and some of the subordinate meetings. We unite with her proposal and she is liberated to make the proposed visit and proceed as way may open she being a minister in unity with us. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute and sign the same on behalf of this Meeting.

Our dear friend Horace B. Foster informed the Meeting that he felt that it is his duty to accompany his wife Mary C. Foster on her proposed religious visit to Canada Yearly Meeting. Unity being expressed with his concern he is liberated for that purpose, he being an elder in good esteem among us. The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute and sign the same on behalf of the Meeting.

No further business appearing, we conclude our sitting to meet at this place in the 7th Mo. next if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Dartmouth Mass. 7th Mo. 3rd 1919

The Assistant Clerk being absent Horace B. Foster is appointed Assistant Clerk for the day.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but two, for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are John T. Kentfield, Annie B. Gidley, Jesse R. Tucker, Mary C. Foster, Anna Foster, Emma T. Oliver, and William C. Foster, whose names being called all are present.

All the Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

Our dear Friend Mary C. Foster returned the minute granted her in the 4th Mo. last together with a returning minute from Scipio Quarterly Meeting and one from Canada Yearly Meeting expressing unity with her gospel labors while among them which is acceptable to us. Our dear Friend Horace B. Foster returned the minute granted him in the 4th Mo. last together with a minute from Canada Yearly Meeting which is acceptable to us.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet, at this place, at the usual time in the 10th mo. next if consistant with the Divine Will Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 10th mo 2nd 1919.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting — Mary J. Cope Elizabeth G. Hillier R. Tucker, Henry C. Foster, William T. Oliver and Anna Foster whose names being called all are present.

All the queries with answers to the 1st 2nd mo 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet at this place in the First mo. next if consistent with the Divine Will

Job S. Gidley Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass 1st mo 1st 1920

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Mary J. Cope, Annie B. Gidley, William T. Oliver, Elizabeth Foster Horace K. Foster, and James H. Oliver whose names being called all are present.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 10th together with a summary which is thought to be descriptive of our present state has been read.

Our dear Friend Job S. Gidley returned, at this time, the minute granted him 1st mo. 2nd 1919 to visit in gospel love Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and some or all of the meetings composing it and also Scipio Quarterly Meeting N. Y. expressing that the concern had been accomplished to the satisfaction of his mind and that he found an open entrance among all the different meetings. He also produced a returning minute from Scipio Quarterly Meeting which is satisfactory to this meeting.

No further business appearing, to claim our attention at this time, we now conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th month next if so permitted

James H. Oliver Assistant Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. 4th mo. 1st 1920.

The Assistant Clerk being absent William J. Oliver is appointed Assistant Clerk for the day.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary P. Cope, James H. Tucker, Elizabeth C. Gidley, W. Theodore Oliver, Anna Foster, Mary C. Foster and Mary Anna Oliver who are all present but two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

All the queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a ~~minute~~ which is thought to describe our present state has been read and is to forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Jesse B. Tucker, Horace B. Foster, Mary P. Cope, Anna Foster, Isabel L. Gifford, and William J. Oliver whom we have appointed as our representatives and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing, we now conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 7th month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth 7thmo 1st. 1920.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Phebe Archer, James H. Tucker, Mary C. Foster, William A. Foster and Mary E. Foster who are all present. The Assistant Clerk being absent, Horace B. Foster is appointed Assistant Clerk for the day.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state has been read.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th month next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, 10thmo 7th. 1920.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Mtg of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cope, Elizabeth G. Archer, Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, James W. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, Horace B Foster and Emma J. Oliver whose names being called, they are all present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, together with a Summary which is thought to represent our present State have been read.

Our dear friend Job S Gidley has laid before this meeting a Concern which he has felt for some time to visit in Gospel love the approaching North Carolina Yearly Meeting and perhaps appoint some meetings within the limits of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and some other service as Truth may open the way, the same being set forth in a minute granted him by

Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held at N. Dartmouth the 2nd of 9th mo 1926. After a time of solid deliberation his concern was fully united with and he was liberated and encouraged to pursue his prospect as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister in unity with us.

The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

No further business claiming our attention at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again in 10th month next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver.
Clerk for the time.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. First Month 6th 1921.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cofer, Alice W. Gidley, Elizabeth Foster and James W. Oliver who are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state has been read.

Our dear friend, Job S. Gidley returned at this time the minute granted him in 10th month last to attend North Carolina Yearly Meeting and other service. He expressed that the retrospect of his visit was pleasant and comforting to his feelings, and produced a returning minute from North Carolina Yearly Meeting which is satisfactory to this meeting.

No other business appearing to claim our attention at this time we conclude purposing to meet again in the 4th mo next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver
Assistant Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at N. Dartmouth, Mass., 4th mo. 7th, 1921.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Alice W Gidley, Mary C Kentfield, James H. Tucker, Isabel S Giffin, Cornelia Foster, Emma S Oliver and Horace B. Foster, who are all present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth & Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state has been read, and this Summary is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by our Friends, Horace B Foster, Mary E Foster, Elizabeth G. Arthur, Mary J. Cope, Alice W. Gidley, Jesse R. Tucker, Anna Foster, and James W. Oliver whom we have appointed as our representatives to that meeting and they are to report at our next meeting.

Our beloved Friend, Mary C. Foster, a minister with whom we have unity, expressed in this meeting a Concern which has rested with her of late to visit in Gospel love the approaching Canada Yearly meeting and some other service as Way may open as also set forth in a minute from Nantucket Monthly meeting of Friends held at Lynn, Mass. 3rd mo. 31, 1921. After a time of deliberation thereon, full unity was expressed with her Concern and she is left at liberty, and encouraged to pursue her prospect as Best Wisdom may direct. The Clerk is directed to furnish her with a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

Our beloved Friend Horace B. Foster expressed in this meeting a Concern to accompany his wife Mary C. Foster, if way opens for it, in her visit of love to Canada Yearly meeting as also set forth in a minute granted him from Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends held at Lynn, Mass 3rd mo 31st 1921. After a time of consideration, full unity was expressed with his Concern, and he is left at liberty

and encouraged in the service, he being an elder in good standing among us. The Clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place in the 7th mo next if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 7th mo 6th 1921.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket monthly meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Charles H. Carter, Elizabeth G Wilbur, Mary C. Kentfield, James H. Tucker, Elizabeth Foster, William C Foster, Emma T. Oliver and Mary C. Foster who are all present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they all attended but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers thereto for the 1st 2nd and tenth from Dartmouth and Nantucket monthly meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

Our beloved Friend, Mary C. Foster returned the minute granted her in the Fourth Month last, with returning minutes from Canada Yearly Meeting and Scipio Quarterly Meeting expressing unity with her company and service, which is satisfactory to the Meeting.

Our beloved Friend, Horace B. Foster returned the minute granted him in the Fourth Month last with returning minutes from Canada Yearly Meeting and Scipio Quarterly Meeting which is satisfactory to the Meeting.

No further business appearing, we conclude purposing to

meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th month next, if consistent with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Darlmouth. Mass. 10th mo. 6th. 1921.

By accounts received from Darlmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker, Mary J. Cope, Elizabeth E. Gidley, Mary Anna Oliver, Hattie B. Foster, Anna Foster and William J. Oliver who are all present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Darlmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

No further business appearing, we now conclude, to meet at this place at the usual time in the first month next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley
Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Darlmouth, Mass. First Month 5th 1922.

By accounts received from Darlmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives appointed to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cope, Alice W. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, James W. Oliver, Mary E. Foster and Anna Foster whose names being called all are present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th, from Darlmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends together with a Summary which is thought to describe our present state has been read.

Our dear friend, Mary C. Foster having expressed

in Nantucket Monthly Meeting a Concern to attend in Gospel love the ensuing Philadelphia Yearly Meeting And some of the Meetings Composing it if way opens for it, this meeting unites with her Concern and she is liberated and encouraged to pursue her prospect, she being a minister with whom we have unity. The clerk is directed to give her a Copy of this minute Signed in behalf of the meeting. No further business appearing, we now conclude. purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 4th month next, if consistant with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 4th mo 6th 1922.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isabel L. Gifford, James H. Tucker, Alice W. Gidley, Emma T. Oliver, Henry C. Foster and William T. Oliver and Elizabeth Foster who are all present.

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe our present State have been read and it is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth Foster, Isabel L. Gifford, Emma T. Oliver, Mary J. Cope, Horace B. Foster, John G. Arthur and John T. Rutfield whom we have appointed as our representatives and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing, we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the Second Month next if Consistant with the Divine Will.

Job S Gidley - Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 7th mo 7th 1922.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary Jessie Carter, Mary C. Kenfield, Isabel L. Gifford, Charles H. Carter, W. Theodore Oliver, William A Foster, Horace B. Foster, and Emma J. Oliver, whose names being called all are present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they were all present but two for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly meetings of Friends, together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

Mary C. Foster returned the minute granted her in the Fourth month last to attend Philadelphia Yearly meeting, with a statement that the retrospect affords her satisfaction in having yielded to the visit required, which is satisfactory to the meeting.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th month if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 10th mo 5th. 1922.

By accounts from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isabel L. Gifford, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Job S. Gidley, William J. Oliver, Anna Foster, Mary C. Foster and Mary Anna Oliver who are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th

from Dartmouth and Nantucket 206 Monthly Meetings of Friends to gether with a summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read.

Our dear Friend. Job S. Gidley has laid before this meeting a Concern that has rested upon his mind for some time to visit in the love of the Gospel some of the meetings of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and appoint some meetings as Truth may open the way. The same is set forth in a minute granted him by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting held 9th mo 27, 1922. After a time of deliberation, his Concern was united with and he is liberated and encouraged to proceed as Best Wisdom may direct, he being a minister in unity with us. The clerk is directed to give him a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.

No other business claiming our attention at this time we conclude, purposing to meet again at this place in 1st month next if consistent with the Divine will.

James W. Oliver,
Clerk for the time.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 1st mo 4th 1923.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Isabel L. Gifford, Mary J. Cope, Emma T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster and William T. Oliver who were present but three who were prevented from coming on account of a severe snow storm.

The Assistant clerk being absent. Elizabeth G. Keelar is appointed Assistant Clerk for the day.

The Queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd & 10th from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings, together with a Summary, which is thought to describe our present State, have been read.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 4th month next if Consistant with the Divine Will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 4th Mo. 5th 1923. By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cope, James A. Tucker, Isabel L. Gifford, Mary Anna Oliver, Horace B. Foster and James W. Oliver who are all present.

The Queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state, have been read and they are to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Jesse A. Tucker, Horace B. Foster, Mary J. Cope, Mary Anna Oliver, & Jas W. Gidley, whom we have appointed as our representatives and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing, we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 7th mo next if consistant with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

Answers to Queries - 1923 -

Ans. 1. All our religious meetings for worship and discipline have been attended by most of our members who are able to do so. The hour for gathering is mostly observed. Friends are mostly clear of all unbecoming be-

havior therein.

Ans. 2. Love and unity are maintained and detraction is guarded against. There are no differences apparent.

Ans. 3. Friends are concerned to uphold our testimony to a waiting, spiritual worship and a free Gospel ministry exercised under the immediate authority and anointing of the Holy Spirit.

Ans. 4. Friends are concerned to bring up those under their care in plainness of speech, deportment and apparel. They guard against pernicious reading and all hurtful influences and endeavor to be good examples herein themselves. It is felt that more care should be given to the use of the plain language. The Holy Scriptures are read each day collectively in some of our families and we would encourage their more frequent reading by all.

Ans. 5. Friends discourage the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicants. They desire to avoid harmful diversions, and are careful to keep in simplicity in all occasions.

Ans. 6. Some pecuniary aid has been extended. All of our children have sufficient education given them to fit them for the duties of life. All of our children are under the care of Friends.

Ans. 7. As far as we know Friends are clear in regard to all parts of this query.

Ans. 8. Friends, we believe, are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to keep to moderation in their trade or business. They try to be punctual to their promises and honest in all their dealings.

Ans. 9 Friends are concerned to instruct the youth under their care in Friends' principles, and to guard all against unsuitable marriages. All marriages, births, deaths and burials have been recorded. There have been no removals.

Ans. 10. Friends endeavor to deal with all offenders in the spirit of meekness and wisdom, without partiality or much unnecessary delay. There has been no dealing or passing of judgment since our last report.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass., 7th mo 6th, 1923.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Charles H. Carlet, Mary J. Cope, Isabel L. Gifford, Emma J. Oliver, Horace B. Foster, Elizabeth Foster and James W. Oliver who are all present.

One of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reports that they were all present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

No further business appearing, we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th mo next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. the 4th of the 10th mo 1923.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends we are informed that Josh R. Tucker, Isabel L. Gifford, Mary J. Cope, Mary [illegible] Oliver, Elizabeth Foster, Caroline F.

Oliver, and James W Oliver were appointed to attend this meeting as representatives who were all present.

The Clerk being absent, Elizabeth G Weber is appointed to assist the Assistant Clerk.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th. have been read at this time, together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state.

No further business appearing to claim our attention we conclude, purposing to meet again in the 1st mo next, at this place, if consistent with the Divine will.

James W. Oliver, Assistant Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 1stmo, 3rd, 1924.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J Cope, Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, Horace B. Foster and William T Oliver, whose names being called, are present but three for whose absence satisfactory reasons were given.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read and the Clerk is directed to record the same.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 4thmo next if consistent with the Divine will.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 4thmo 3rd, 1924.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein

named to attend this meeting are Rachel S. Tuttle, Marian B. Goodwin, Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth Foster, Emma J. Oliver, James W. Oliver and Henry C. Foster who are all present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read and the summary is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Henry C. Foster, William J. Oliver, Job S. Gidley, Mary J. Cope, Mary E. Foster, Elizabeth G. Tucker, Horace B. Foster, Jesse R. Tucker and Elizabeth Foster whom we have appointed our representatives and they are to report at our next meeting.

The clerk is instructed to send a message to the representative to Congress from this district asking him to oppose any amendment to the 18th Amendment which would allow the sale of wine and beer, and sign it on behalf of the meeting.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time on the 7th mo next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass., 7th mo 3rd. 1924.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are: Mary J. Cope, Jesse R. Tucker, Job S. Gidley, Mary E. Foster, Mary Emma Oliver, Emma J. Oliver and Horace B. Foster who are all present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

All the representatives appointed to attend the Yearly Meeting were present but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers to the 1st 2nd and 15th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to

describe our present state, have been read, & the Clerk is directed to record the same.

The subject of Mobilization Day which the Secretary of War suggested, coming before the meeting, the Clerk was directed to send letters to the President and Secretary of War voicing our protest against the observance of that day.

No other business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 10th month if consistent with the Divine will

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 10th mo 2nd. 1924.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meeting of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isaac F. Gifford, James H. Tucker, Alice D. Gidley, Emma G. Oliver, Horace B. Foster, Henry C. Foster and James W. Oliver who are all present.

The Queries with Answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, together with a Summary, which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 1st mo next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 1st mo 1st, 1925.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cope, Harry S. Goodwin, Thebe Wilbur, W. Theodore Oliver, Elizabeth Foster, Henry C. Foster and Emma

T. Oliver, whose names being called, they are all present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd. and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly meetings, together with a summary, which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

Job S. Gidley returns the minute granted him the 6th of the 10th mo 1422, to visit in gospel love some of the meetings of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting and to appoint some meetings as they opened. He informed the meeting that there was an open door and the prospect was pleasant.

No other business coming before us at this time, we conclude, purposing to meet again at the usual time in the 4th mo next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth. Mass. 4th mo. 2nd 1425.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings the representatives therein named to attend this Meeting are James N. Tucker, Isabel S. Gifford, Mary J. Cope, Anna Foster, Mary E. Foster, William T. Oliver and Mary Anna Oliver whose names being called, all are present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings, together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read, and it is to be taken to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Job S. Gidley, Elizabeth Foster, Jesse N. Tucker, Alice W. Gidley, Horace B. Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, and Mary E. Foster whom we have appointed as representatives and they are to report at our next meeting.

No further business appearing we now conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 7th month next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley. Clerk.

Answers to Queries 1925.

Ans. 1. All our religious meetings for Worship and Discipline have been regularly held. The attendance on First Days is usually good while mid-week meetings are small. The hour for gathering is mostly observed Friends are clear of unbecoming behavior except some instances of sleep.

Ans. 2. Love and unity are maintained among us and we endeavor to guard against detraction. No differences are apparent.

Ans. 3. Friends are concerned to uphold our testimony to a waiting, spiritual worship, and to a free Gospel ministry exercised under the immediate authority of the Holy Spirit

Ans 4. Friends feel some care to bring up those under their direction in plainness of speech and simplicity of deportment and apparel. They guard against pernicious reading and the harmful influences of worldly associations, endeavoring to be good examples therein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are often read in our families.

Ans. 5. Friends are careful to discourage the manufacture, sale and use of all intoxicants. Friends for the most part choose wholesome diversions and are careful to keep in true simplicity at the time of marriages and all other occasions.

Ans 6. Pecuniary aid has been extended to those who need assistance. Our children have sufficient education to fit them for the duties of life. All our children are under the care of Friends.

Ans. 1. As far as we know. our members maintain a faithful testimony against oaths, bearing arms, training and other military Matters, against being Concerned in any fraudulent or Clandestine business, buying or selling goods unlawfully imported and against engaging in or encouraging lotteries or other forms of gambling.

Ans. 8. We believe Friends are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to keep to moderation in their trade or business. They strive to be punctual to their promises, just in the payment of debts, and honest in all their dealings.

Ans. 9. Parents and those having the care of the Youth feel it is important to instruct them in the Principles of Truth professed by us, and to guard all against unsuitable marriages. Our records are in order. There have been no removals.

Ans. 10. A desire is felt to deal with all offenders in the spirit of meekness and wisdom, without partiality or unnecessary delay. but there has been no case of dealing nor passing of judgment this year.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 7th mo 2nd, 1925.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary Jessie Carter. Phebe Arthur, Jesse R. Tucker, Elizabeth Foster, Ezekiel T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster and Emma T. Oliver whose names being called, all are present.

All the representatives to the Yearly Meeting attended. The queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe

our present state has been read, and the Clerk is to record the same.

No further business appearing, we now conclude purposing to meet at this place in the 10th mo next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at N. Dartmouth, Mass. 10th mo 1st. 1925.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are James H. Tucker, Mary J. Cope, Isabel L. Gifford, Anna Foster, William T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster and Horace B. Foster who are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state, have been read.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 1st mo. next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at N. Dartmouth, Mass. 1st mo. 7th. 1926.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker, Alice W. Gidley, Elizabeth G. Willett, Emma F. Oliver, Mildred S. Foster, Elizabeth Foster and William C Foster who are all present.

The queries with answers to the 1st. 2nd & 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary showing our present state, have been read. No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the 7th mo next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 4th Mo 1st 1926.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly meetings of Friends the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Mary J. Cope, Susan G. Jones, James H. Tucker, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Mary E. Foster, Mary Anna Oliver, William T. Oliver, Sarah W. Oliver, and Horace B. Foster who are all present.

The queries with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state have been read, and the summary is to be forwarded to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Horace B. Foster, Emma T. Oliver, Mary J. Cope, William T. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, Alice W. Gidley, and Anna Foster whom we have appointed as our representatives to that meeting, and they are to report at our next meeting. *

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet again at this place in the 1st mo. next if so permitted.

John S. Gidley, Clerk.

* We are informed that Nantucket Monthly Meeting has appointed William T. Oliver and Elizabeth Foster to the station of elders, These appointments have the full unity of this meeting.

Answers to Queries – 1926.

Ans. 1. All our meetings for worship and Discipline have been held except three, one of which was omitted on account of a funeral and two on account of severe storms. The hour for gathering is mostly observed. Friends are clear of unbecoming behavior except some instances of sleep.

Ans. 2. Love and unity are maintained among us. Detraction is guarded against. When differences arise, endeavors are used to end them.

Ans. 3. Friends are faithfully concerned to uphold our Testimony to a waiting, spiritual worship and to a free Gospel ministry exercised under the immediate authority and anointing of the Holy Spirit.

Ans. 4. Parents give some attention to bringing up their children in plainness of speech and simplicity of deportment and apparel. They exercise restraint over pernicious reading and harmful associations but we feel more care should be used in these respects. Friends desire to be good examples herein themselves. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families but not always collectively.

Ans 5. Our members are careful to discourage the manufacture, sale and use of all intoxicating liquors. Not all clear of attending places of diversion. Friends are mostly careful to practise simplicity on all occasions.

Ans. 6. There are no Friends in need of Assistance. Our children are given sufficient education to fit them for the duties of life. Friends' children are under the care of members.

Ans. 7. A Concern is felt to maintain a faithful testimony against oaths, bearing arms, training and other Military matters, being concerned in any fraudulent or clandestine business, buying or selling goods unlawfully imported, and against engaging in or encouraging lotteries and other forms of gambling.

Ans. 8. Friends are careful to live within their circumstances and to keep to moderation in their trade or business. They

are punctual to their promises, just in the payment of debts. and honest in all their dealings.

Nos. 9. Parents and others desire that our youth shall be instructed in the Principles of Truth, professed by us, and are careful to guard all against unsuitable marriages. Our records are in order. There have been no removals without certificates.

Nos. 10. A care is felt to deal with all offenders in the spirit of meekness and wisdom, and without partiality or unnecessary delay. No judgment has been placed since our last report.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 7th mo. 1st. 1926.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Elizabeth E Gifford, James H. Tucker, Elizabeth Foster, Mary E. Foster, and Sarah W. Oliver who are all present.

Horace B. Foster on behalf of the representatives to the Yearly Meeting reported that they were all present.

The Queries with answers to the 1st, 2nd & 10th from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings, together with a summary, have been read at this time and the Clerk is directed to record the same.

No further business appearing we now conclude, purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in the 10th mo next if so permitted.

John S. Gifford, Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. 10th mo 7th 1926.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the representatives therein named to attend this meeting are Isabel S. Gifford, James H. Tucker, Mary J. Cope, Sarah W. Oliver, Mary Anna Oliver,

Mary E. Foster, Anna Foster and Henry C. Foster, whose names being called, all are present.
The Queries with Answers to the 1st. 2nd and 10th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a Summary, which is thought to describe our present state, has been read.
Alice W. Gidley, Horace B. Foster, Mary J. Cope and Anna Foster were appointed a Committee to bring forward names for Clerk and assistant Clerk of this meeting, and report at our next meeting.
No further business appearing, we now conclude, purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in the First Month next if so permitted.

Job S. Gidley
Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass 1st month 6th d 1927.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therin named to attend this meeting are Mary J Cope, James H. Tucker, Job S Gidley Sarah W. Oliver William T Oliver Horace Foster and Elizabeth Foster who are all present. The committee appointed at our last meeting to propose names for clerk and assistant clerks report that they are united in proposing the name of James W. Oliver for clerk and Elizabeth G Wilbur for assistant clerk. which is satisfactory to the meeting and they are appointed to the positions for a year or until others are appointed in their stead. By the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting we are informed that the appointment to the Station of Elder of Jesse R Tucker and Elizabeth G Wilbur has been approved by the meeting and being considered by this meeting the appointments are united with.
The Queries with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th & 11th from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings have been read together with a Summary and the clerk is directed to record the same.
The clerk is directed to write a letter to President Coolidge and Senator Borah desiring that the troubles between the United States and Mexico be brought before the World Court and commending the Presidents for his Stand in regard to the Naval appropriations. No further business coming before us we now conclude purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 4th month next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 7th of 4th month 1927.
By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therein named to attend this meeting are Isabel L Gifford, James H. Tucker, Alice H Gidley, Mary E. Foster, Sarah W. Oliver, William O. Foster and Irene Foster, who are all present.
The Queries have all been read with answers thereto from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings together with a summary which is thought to nearly show our present state and we forward the summary to our ensuing Yearly Meeting by Horace B. Foster Mary E. Foster Elizabeth Foster Henry Gidley Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Jessie R Tucker Sarah W. Oliver whom we appoint as our representatives, and they are requested to report to our next Quarterly Meeting. We also send information that Jessie R. Tucker and Elizabeth G Wilbur have been appointed to the Station of Elders with the full unity of this meeting.
No other business coming before us we conclude forthwith to meet again at the usual time in 5th month next at this place if so permitted.

James H. Oliver clerk

Answers to the Queries 1927

Ans 1st All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held, except one which was omitted on account of a severe Storm. The majority of our members attend regularly when able to do so, The hour of gathering is mostly observed. Friends endeavor to present themselves in a living and receptive frame of mind.

Ans 2nd Love and unity are in a good degree maintained Friends are careful not to injure the reputation of others. When differences arise Friends endeavor to end them.

Ans 3rd Our members are concerned to uphold our testimonies to a waiting Spiritual worship, and to a free Gospel ministry exercised under the immediate authority and anointing of the Holy Spirit.

Ans 4th Friends exercise some care to bring up their children in simplicity of speech department and apparel They are concerned to guide their reading and conversation in the right direction and keep them from harmful influencies, and endeavor to be good examples herein themselves The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

June 5th "

Friends endeavor to advance the cause of temperance in every way. They for the most part observe wholesome deportment and conduct all activities with simplicity.

Ans 6th "

There are no Friends in need of assistance
Friends endeavor to keep their children under the care and influence of those in membership with us.

Ans 7th

Most Friends maintain a faithful testimony against Oaths. They are clear in the other parts of this Query.

Ans 8th "

As far as we know, Friends are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances, and to keep in moderation in their trade or business. They are punctual to their promises just in the payment of their debts and honest in all their dealings.

Ans 9th "

Parents and those having the care of the youth, appear to instruct them in the principles of Truth professed by us, and careful to guard against unsuitable marriages. All marriages births deaths, and burials are duly recorded. No removals without certificates.

Ans 10th "

Due care is taken to deal with all offenders when occasion requires, in the spirit of meekness and wisdom, without much delay, according to our discipline.

Ans 11th "

Friends do endeavor to live in the virtue of that life and power that takes away the occasion of all wars, to abstain from military matters, and to promote according to our ability the growth of the Spirit of Christian brotherhood in the conduct of all human relations.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 7th of 7th month 1927.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R Tucker Elizabeth G Wilbur, Elizabeth E Gidley, Mary E. Foster Elizabeth Foster Mary Anna Oliver and Emma T. Oliver, whose names being called they are all present but one, for whose absence a suitable reason was given. The representatives to our late Yearly Meeting, report they were all in attendance. The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th and 11th together with a summary and the clerk is directed to record the same. No further business coming before us we conclude with feelings of gratitude for blessings bestowed, purposing to meet again at the usual time in 10th month next at this place if so permitted.

James W. Oliver Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass the 6th of 10th month 1927.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therein appointed to attend this meeting are, Bob S Gidley, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Isabel S Gifford, Emma J. Oliver, William O Foster, James W. Oliver and Elizabeth Foster, whose names being called they are all present but one, for whose absence a suitable excuse was given.

The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th and 11th to which with a summary and the clerk is directed to record the same. No further business coming before us, we conclude meeting to meet again at this place at the usual time in 1st month next if consistent with the Divine will

James W. Oliver clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass the 5th of 1st month 1928.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therein appointed to attend this meeting are Jessie R. Tucker, Bob S Gidley, Alice W. Gidley, Anna Foster, Sarah W. Oliver, Bruce B. Foster, and Emma J. Oliver, whose names being called all present. The time for which the clerk of this meeting was appointed having expired James W. Oliver is reappointed to this service for the ensuing year or until another appointment. The time for which the assistant clerk was appointed having expired she is reappointed to this service until [illegible] appointment. The assistant clerk being absent Alice W. Gidley is appointed assistant clerk for this time.

The queries have been read together with answers to the 1st - 2nd 10th and 11th from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings and a summary which is thought to show our present state.

The company of our Friends William and Mary Young the latter clerk of Iowa Yearly Meeting has been very acceptable to us. "As iron sharpeneth iron so doth the countenance of a man his friends."

No other business appearing at this time we conclude meeting to meet again at this place in 4th month next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver. Clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 5th of 4th month 1928.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends the names of Friends therein appointed to attend this meeting are Job S Gidley Jessie R Tucker Isabel L Gifford Anna Foster Sarah W. Oliver William O. Foster Millicent S. Foster. Whose names being called they are all present. The names of Jessie Gidley Carter and Henry T. Gidley for the Station of Elder coming before us by the account from Dartmouth Monthly Meeting

This meeting unites with the appointments and information is to be given to our Yearly Meeting. The Queries have all been read with answers thereto together with a summary which is thought to describe our present state and we forward the Summary to our next yearly Meeting by Mary Anna Oliver Elizabeth G. Wilbur Jessie R Tucker Anna Foster Horace B Foster and William T. Oliver whom we appoint as our representatives, and they are to report to our next meeting. The advices have also been read. William O. Foster Emma T. Oliver and James W. Oliver are appointed a committee to take into consideration sending a protest against the appropriation for the increase in the Navy to our Senators and also if necessary to President Coolidge requesting him to veto the bill.

No other business coming before us at this time we conclude our meeting to meet again at this place in 7th month next if consistent with the Divine will.

James W. Oliver clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1928.

Ans 1st — All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held and regularly attended by most Friends. The hour for gathering is well observed, and Friends we trust endeavor to present themselves in a living and receptive frame of mind.

Ans 2nd — Love and unity are in a good degree maintained. Friends are careful not to injure the reputation of others. When differences arise Friends endeavor to end them.

Ans 3rd — Friends are faithfully concerned to uphold our testimony to a waiting spiritual worship and to a free Gospel ministry exercised under the immediate authority and anointing of the Holy Spirit. There are some instances of attending meetings of other denominations.

Ans 4th — Friends monthly are concerned to bring up those under their care in simplicity of speech, department and apparel, and to direct their reading and conversation into right channels and to guard them from all hurtful influences. Friends endeavor to be good examples in these matters. The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in our families.

Ans 5th

Friends endeavor to maintain the cause of temperance
They are careful in their choice of diversions and conduct
all activities with simplicity.

Ans 6th

No Friends at present need personally visit.
Our members endeavor to keep their children under the care
and influence of Friends.

Ans 7th

Friends are clear in regard to the various parts of this query
with the exception of taking the judicial Oath which is
by Dartmouth Monthly Meeting.

Ans 8th

Friends are careful to live within the bounds of their
circumstances, and to keep to moderation in their business
They strive to be punctual to their promises just in the
payment of their debts and honest in all their dealings.

Ans 9th

Parents are concerned to instruct their children in the
principles of truth professed by Friends, and careful to guard
against unsuitable marriages. Marriages births deaths and
burials are recorded. One family has moved to another
locality without taking certificates there being no meeting
established in that vicinity.

Ans 10th

Due care is taken to deal with all offenders when occasion
requires, in the spirit of meekness and wisdom without
much delay according to our discipline.

Ans 11th

Friends do endeavor to live in the virtue of that life and
power that takes away the occasion of all wars, To abstain
from military matters, and to promote according to our
ability the growth of the spirit of Christian brotherhood
in the conduct of all human relations.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North
Dartmouth Mass, The 5th of 7th month 1928.

By accounts received from Dartmouth
and Nantucket Monthly meetings of Friends the names of
Friends therein named to attend this meeting are Jesse R. Tucker
Elizabeth G. Wilbur Alice W. Gidley William T. Oliver, Anna -
Foster Horace B. Foster and Emma T. Oliver. who are all present
The representatives to our late Quarterly Meeting report that they
were all in attendance. The committee appointed to prepare
if way opened a protest against appropriations for increase in the
Navy report that a protest was sent to the Senators but not to
the President as not necessary at that time. The Queries have
all been read with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th and 11th together
with a Summary thought to show our state at present.
The Meeting for Sufferings consenting to our changing the time of
our holding our meetings from the first 5th to the first 7th days
in the ~~First~~, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, We conclude
purposing to meet again the first 7th day in Tenth month next
at this place, If consistent with the Divine Will.

James W. Oliver clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the sixth of Tenth month, 1928.

The clerk of the meeting being absent, Millicent S. Foster was appointed clerk for the day.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket monthly meetings, the names of Friends to attend this meeting are Isabel L. Gifford, Susan G Jones. Jesse R. Tucker, Millicent S. Foster, Horace B. Foster and Elizabeth Foster, who are all present.

The Queries have all been read at this time, while verbal answers were given to the 1st, 2nd, 10th, and 11th. A summary of the answers has been read and approved.

The business of the meeting having been transacted, we now conclude yearning to meet again 1st month 1929 at the appointed time & place if so permitted,

Millicent S. Foster
Clerk for the day.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the fifth of First month 1929.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, the names of Friends appointed to attend this meeting are Isabel L. Gifford Marion B. Goodwin Alice W. Gidley Harry S. Goodwin Horace B. Foster Sarah W. Oliver, William T. Oliver & Anna Foster. whose names being called all are present: The time for which the clerk and assistant clerks were appointed having expired they are reappointed for the year or until others are appointed in their stead. The Queries have all been read with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th & 11th together with a summary thought to describe our present State. No other business appearing to claim our attention we conclude yearning to meet again in 4th month next at this place. if consistent with the divine will.

James W. Oliver clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 6th of 4th month 1929.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends, The names of Friends appointed to attend this meeting are Jesse R Tucker Alice W. Gidley, Sarah W. Oliver Millicent S. Foster Horace B. Foster and Emma T. Oliver, Who are all present but one, who has been removed from our midst by death. The Queries have all been read together with the advices, and we forward the answers to our yearly Meeting by Wm T. Oliver, Alice W. Gidley Henry Gidley Harry Goodwin Mary E. Foster, Sarah W. Oliver and Anna Foster whom we appoint as our representatives and they are requested to report to our next meeting. A memorial of our dear friend Joel S. Gidley has been presented by Dartmouth Monthly meeting, which this meeting fully approves and the clerk is directed to forward it

to our next yearly Meeting No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at this place at the usual time in 7th month next if so permitted.

James W. Oliver clerk.

Answers to the Queries 1929.

Ans 1st " All our meetings for worship and discipline have been held except one Preparative meeting. The hour for gathering is mostly observed and we believe Friends endeavor to present themselves in a living and receptive frame of mind.

Ans 2nd " Love & unity are in a good degree maintained Friends are careful not to injure the reputation of others. When differences arise Friends endeavor to end them.

Ans 3rd " Friends are concerned faithfully to uphold our testimony to a waiting Spiritual worship and a free Gospel Ministry expressed under the immediate authority and anointing of the Holy Spirit.

Ans 4th " We believe Friends are mostly concerned to bring up those under their care in Simplicity of Speech deportment and apparel. To guide their reading & conversation into right channels and to guard them from all harmful influences. They desire to be good examples herein themselves The Holy Scriptures are frequently read in their families.

Ans 5th " Friends endeavor to advance the cause of Temperance They exercise care in regard to diversions and strive to conduct all the activities of their lives with simplicity.

Ans 6th " There are no Friends at present needing pecuniary aid. All children are getting sufficient education to fit them for the duties of life Friends endeavor to keep their children under the care and influence of those in membership with them.

Ans 7th " Friends do maintain a faithful testimony against oaths, against being concerned in any fraudulent or clandestine business, against defrauding the public revenue, or encouraging lotteries or other forms of gambling.

Ans 8th " Friends are careful to live within the bounds of their circumstances and to keep to moderation in their trade or business. They endeavor to be punctual to their promises just in the payment of their debts, and honest in all their dealings.

Ans 9th " Parents and those having the care of the youth at our to instruct them in the principles of Truth professed by us and careful to guard against unsuitable marriages. All marriages, births, deaths and burials, are duly recorded. No removals without certificates.

Ans 10th " Due care is taken to deal with all offenders when occasion requires in the Spirit of meekness and wisdom without much delay according to our discipline. But there has been no placing of judgement since our last report.

Ans 11th " We believe Friends do endeavor to live in the virtue of that life and power that takes away the occasion of all wars to abstain from military matters, and to promote according to our ability the growth of the spirit of Christian brotherhood in the conduct of all human relations.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass. the 6th of 7th month 1929.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends The names of Friends appointed to attend this meeting are Phebe Wilbur, Alice W. Gidley, Jessie Gidley Carter, Emma T. Oliver, Anna Foster, and James W. Oliver, who are all present. One of the representatives to our late Yearly Meeting reports they were all in attendance, but one for whose absence a satisfactory reason was given. The Queries have been read with answers to the 1st " 2nd " 10th " & 11th " together with a summary thereof to show our state at present and the clerk is directed to record the same. William T. Oliver Jessie G. Carter & Henry Gidley are appointed a committee to draft a short message to President Hoover, commending him for his efforts in behalf of Peace & Law enforcement and the clerk is directed to sign the same on our behalf and forward to him. No further business appearing, we conclude purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 10th month next if consistent with the divine will.

James W. Oliver clerk.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth Mass the 5th of 10th month 1929.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Meetings of Friends. The names of Friends appointed to attend this meeting are, Elizabeth C. Gidley, Mira Tucker, Sarah W. Oliver, Mary E. Foster and Elizabeth Foster, whose names being called all are present. The Queries have all been read with answers to the 1st 2nd 10th and 11th together with a Summary. Horace B. Foster, Phebe Wilbur Harry Goodwin & Alice Gidley are appointed a committee to take into consideration the name of clerk for the ensuring year and also a name for assistant clerk for the ensuing year, and report to our next meeting. Our dear Friend James W. Oliver a minister of Nantucket Monthly Meeting, has laid before this meeting a concern which has been with him for some time, to visit in Gospel love, Friends in Nova Scotia and also Friends of the other body either going or coming. She has the full unity of his own Monthly Meeting. This meeting fully expresses unity and encouragement and the clerk is directed to furnish him with a copy of this minute signed on its behalf. Our dear Friend Horace B. Foster an Elder of Nantucket Monthly Meeting

has expressed to this meeting his willingness to accompany James W. Oliver on his proposed visit to Friends in Nova Scotia, having the unity of his own Monthly Meeting. This meeting feels full unity with his expressed willingness for the service, and the clerk is directed to furnish him with copy of this minute signed on behalf of the meeting.
No further business coming before us we conclude purposing to meet again at this place at the usual time in 1st month next if consistent with the divine will.

Elizabeth G Wilbur
Assistant clerk.

Summary of
Answers to the Queries 5th mo. of 10th month 1929.

Ans 1st " All our meetings have been held and attended by most of our members of ability and not prevented by unavoidable circumstances. Some lack in prompt observance of the hour for gathering. We hope Friends are mindful of the need to present themselves in a living and receptive frame of mind. Dartmouth Monthly Meeting is now held on the last Fifth-day in each month at 4-30 in the afternoon. The North Preparative Meeting on the preceding First-day after the meeting for worship. Other Mid week meetings at North Dartmouth, for the present are omitted.

Ans 2nd " Love and unity as far as we know, are in a good degree maintained. Care is taken not to injure the reputation of others. We know of no differences.

Ans 10th " No case of dealing since our last report.

Ans 11th " Friends endeavor to live in the virtue of that life and power that takes away the occasion of all wars, to abstain from all military matters, and to promote the growth of the spirit of Christian brotherhood in the conduct of all human relations.

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1 mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 4th of 1st mo. 1930
The committee appointed at our last Quarterly Mtg. to propose the name of a Friend for clerk of this meeting for the coming year suggests the name of Elizabeth G. Wilbur which is satisfactory to the Mtg. Also the name of Emma T. Oliver as assistant clerk, this being fully united with they are appointed to serve as clerks for the coming year, & until others are appointed in their place.

By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Mtgs. of Friends the names of Friends appointed to attend this Mtg. are Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Horace B. Gordon, Alice Wilbur, Mary E. Foster, James W. Oliver, Mary E. Foster & Emma T. Oliver, all of whom are present. The Epistles have been read & duly attended to the 1st, 2nd, 10th & 11th. Our dear Friend James W. Oliver has returned the minute granted him one year last for religious service in Nova Scotia. He also presents a letter of appreciation given him by the family of Friends whom he visited. He has given the meeting an interesting and satisfactory account of his visit and has expressed himself gratified with the reception given him. Our dear friend Horace B. Foster who accompanied James W. Oliver on the above mentioned religious visit to Nova Scotia has also presented a letter from the family visited and expressed himself fully satisfied with the results of the visit. The business of the meeting having been accomplished we conclude. Leaving it Unit in the Mtg. of Wisdom with the Divine Will.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur Clerk.

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4 mo.

At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg. of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts 4th mo. 5th. 1930.

The clerk of the meeting being absent Emma T. Oliver is appointed clerk for the day and Alice W. Kirby as assistant. By accounts received from Dartmouth and Nantucket Monthly Mtgs. of Friends the names of friends appointed to attend this Mtg as representatives are Isaac L. Kilford, Marion B. Gardiner, Alice W. Kirby, Elizabeth Foster, W. Theodore Oliver, William B. Oliver and William C. Foster. Those names being called we are concerned that for proper absence satisfactory reasons are given. The minutes have been read which are from Nantucket & Dartmouth Monthly Mtgs. to forward the meeting and to this Yearly Mtg. by Isaac C. Foster, Alice Kirby, William T Oliver, Isaac T. Tabor, Lucy W. Oliver and W. Theodore Oliver Jr. are appointed as representatives and they are requested to report their attendance at our Mtg. Isaac W. Oliver expressed a desire that a message of sympathy be extended to our absent Clerk and family, this being united with the clerk is directed to forward the same. The business of the meeting having been accomplished we conclude, purposing to meet in Nantucket Mo. 7th if so permitted.

Emma T. Oliver
Clerk for the day.

1930 At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg of Friends held at
7 mo. Friends Dartmouth Street the 5th of the 7 mo 1930

We are informed by accounts from Nantucket and Dartmouth Mo. Mtgs. of Friends that the reps. to this meeting are Mary C. Foster, W. Theodore Oliver, Anna Foster, Henry C. Foster, Alice N. Gidley and Harry S. Goodwin whose names being called all are present but one, for whose absence a satisfactory reason is given. The representatives to the Yearly Mtg. have all in attendance. The Queries have been read and we trust it has been a time of individual searching of the heart to know if we are living each day according to the light given to us.

Proceeding in accordance with the new discipline we appoint ten members of the meeting for Overseers: Horace J. Foster, James W. Oliver, Harry S. Goodwin, Ann Gidley Lowry, Henry T. Gidley, Anna Foster, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Elizabeth Foster, Alice N. Gidley & Mary E. Foster. The first five named to serve until 1932 and the last five until 1936.

Having finished the business that has come before us, we conclude purposing to meet in the 10 mo. if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Clerk

1930
10 mo.

At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg. of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Mass. the 4th of the 10 mo. 1930.

By the accounts from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Mtgs. of Friends it appears that the reps. to this Meeting are Millicent S. Foster, William T. Oliver, William D. Foster, Elizabeth Foster, Sarah W. Oliver, Harry S. Gordon and Elizabeth E. Kirby whose names duly called all are present.

Our dear Friend Francis T. Gundon has attended this Meeting with a minute from Fairhope Mo. Mtg of Friends, Alabama, endorsed by Gulf States Quarterly Mtg. of Friends, Ohio, liberating him for religious service in New England and New York. This company and Gospel services have been acceptable to us. Jarvis Dalton on behalf of a committee appointed to provide Francis T. Gundon with suitable company on his proposed visit to Friends and others in New England & New York, expressed a desire that our dear friend Sarah Gundon who goes as companion to her husband Francis T. Gundon may receive our helpful co-operation and assistance, and that she may be a true helper in the concern which has led him to go forth. Her company is acceptable to us, and the clerk is directed to furnish each with a minute expressing the feeling of this Mtg. signed on our behalf. The minutes have been read at this time and we are reminded reminded of our responsibilities for our individual daily living. We appoint Jarvis Dalton, Elizabeth E. Kirby & Henry T. Kirby a committee to bring forward names for a clerk and assistant clerk to serve for the ensuing year. They are asked to report at our next Mtg.

No further business coming before us we conclude forthwith to meet on the first 3rd. of December.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur- Clerk

1931 At Landrick Quarterly Meeting of Friends held
Dec. at Fairmount the 3rd of the 1st Mo. 1931.

Elizabeth E. Gilley on behalf of the committee appointed at our last Mtg. to prepare the minute of a Friend for Clerk of this Mtg. and one for assistant Clerk reports that they have united in expediting the requirement of the Book Elders. Which Friend subject to this Mtg. They are appointed for the ensuing year or until others are appointed in their place. By the account read for Fairmount and Fairmount Mo. Mtgs. it appears the representatives to this Meeting are Wm. Theodore Elkinton, Thomas S. Foster, James M. Elkinton, Elizabeth Foster, Marian B. Goodwin and Elizabeth G. Walton, all of whom are present. The Queries have been read and bring to our minds the need of a closer walk with our Heavenly Father, if we would advance in the Christian life.

A suggestion was made that the Quarterly Meeting should send a message to President Hoover commending and encouraging him in his efforts to bring about the adherence of the United States to the World Court, and William T. Elkinton, Henry T. Gilley, Josie Gilley Carter, Harry S. Goodwin and Jane Foster are appointed a committee to prepare such a message. The Mtg. also encourages its members to send individual minutes to the President and to their respective Senators, also to Senator Borah.

1931 The business of the Mtg. being transacted
I now conclude with a feeling
of gratitude for the sense of the divine
Presence which has been granted.
Elizabeth S. Walker - Clerk.

4 Mo.

At Woodstock Quarterly Meeting of Friends held
at Friends Westmoreland the 4th of the 4 Mo. 1931. We are
informed by accounts read from Smithfield and
Providence Mo. Mtgs. of Friends that the representa-
tives to this Quarterly are Lucy E. Foster, M. Florence
Oliver, Horace B. Foster, Lewis M. Oliver, Anne Foster,
Freeman B. Foster and Hazel Walker who are acknow-
ledged. The assistant clerk being absent, Anne Foster is
appointed for the day. The Representative Epistle from
our Yearly Meeting, held in Germantown and Philadelphia,
recently, was read in course. Which is approved
by this Meeting. Its several items are to the Mtgs.
Visited by Elizabeth Foster, Elizabeth S. Walker, Henry T.
Haley, Horace B. Foster, Mary C. Foster, Harry S. Good-
fellow and M. Florence Oliver whose presence & ministrations
are acceptable. They are requested to report their
attendance at our next Quarterly Mtg. The General
Queries have been read and being the attention
of each one's responsibilities in Christian love and
freedom. May we earnestly strive to live truly up
thereto in our daily lives, where needful in loving counsel
will be exercised. A copy of the Minutes sent
to Providence Mtg. by the committee appointed at
our last Quarterly Mtg. has been read, also the commit-
tees reply - both of which are interesting and
satisfactory to us. The business of this Meeting
being accomplished we conclude with a feeling
of thanksgiving for favors granted to us.
Elizabeth S. Walker - Clerk

1931 Oct Semi-Annual Quarterly Meeting of Friends held
Thur. at Two Partners. Recommitments the 4th of the
Thur. 1931. By the records received from
Montclair and Plainfield Mo. Mtgs. of Friends
it appears the representatives to this Mtg. are
Lucie W. Oliver, Mary E. Foster, Sarah W. Oliver,
Horace Foster, Eugene T. Oliver, W. Theodore Olive:
Elizabeth G. Walton, Mary J. Gordon and Anna
Parker all of whom are present. It is minuted
that the representatives to the Yearly Mtg.
have power to act. The Queries have been
read and in answer thereto it is reported
things that are to be said for the daily lives
We have been reminded today that there is
help and light for us all if we but turn
unto it - which gives us power enough
to live by. The business being finished we
conclude by proposing to meet the 10mo 1st
if permitted. Elizabeth G. Walton - clerk.

10mo. 1st Semi-Annual Quarterly Meeting of Friends held
at Two Partners, Pelgrimelaweek, the 2nd day
the 10th to mo. 1931. We find by the records
from Montclair and Plainfield Mo. Mtgs. ~~are~~ that the representatives to this Mtg. are
Eugene T. Oliver, Horace B. Foster, William B.
Foster, Sarah W. Oliver, Elizabeth G. Walton.
Alice W. Kirby and Mary J. Gordon who are
all present but one. The Queries have been
read bringing to our notice more clearly and
deeper our accountability as Christians and
as Friends. We realize afresh if we fail in
our duties the fault is our own. We appoint
Horace B. Foster, William T. Oliver, Elizabeth
Foster, Elizabeth E. Kirby and Alice W. Kirby a
committee to suggest names for a clerk and
assistant clerk for the ensuing year and
report at our next Meeting. It is sug-
gested and has the approval of the Mtg.

1931 that we send a letter to President Hoover, expressing our appreciation of his attention in behalf of Israel, with [illegible] proposed visitation of the Holy Land, and [illegible] free expression to [illegible] address and Reflections. Wm. O. Foster, Wilbur T. Elkinton, Phebe Walton and Elizabeth H. Appointed [illegible] committee to procure the message and the clerk is directed to have the [illegible] at the [illegible] of the Yearly Meeting. For other business coming before the Yearly Meeting, the conclusion, [illegible] to meet again on the 1st Month if permitted. Elizabeth G. Wilbur - clerk

1932

1 Mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Friends Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 2nd of the 1 Mo. 1932. The committee appointed at the last Quarterly Meeting to [illegible] the names of the Friends for clerk and assistant clerk inform us they were united in suggesting the reappointment of the same clerks, this being satisfactory to the Yearly Meeting they will serve for this year or until others are appointed in their places. By the records from Fairhaven and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings of Friends we find the representatives to this Meeting are Elizabeth Foster, Joseph E. Wing, Anna Foster, Mary E. Foster, Anna Foster, Alice H. Kirby and Henry A. Gordon who name being called all are present except one for whom [illegible] a satisfactory reason is given. A letter has been received and referred to a committee since the President Elect 10 Mo. It has been read at this time and we minute the kind appreciation expressed. The Queries have been read

1932 and as always may cause us to search
1mo. closely to know if we are living in
accordance with the grace that is
given to us to show the right way more
in the things that we write in the course
of daily living. No further business
coming before this meeting. We conclude
by uniting in the 4mo. 1 paragraph.
Elizabeth G. Wilbur. Clerk.

4mo.

At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held
at No. Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 2nd of the
4mo. 1932. By accounts received from Nan-
tucket and Dartmouth Mo. Mtgs. of Friends
the representatives named to attend this Mtg.
are Mt. Theodore Oliver, Elizabeth Foster, Joseph E.
Meyers, Emma T. Oliver, William W. Foster,
Phebe Wilbur, Harry S. Gordon and Alice M.
Gidley who are all present. The Epistles have
been read silently to enjoy the sense of
looking only for the Light which will guide
& we pray that it acceptable to the Master.
The correspondence Epistles have been read
with interest from Nantucket and Dartmouth
monthly Mtgs. Also a communication which we
forward to the yearly Mtg. by our represen-
tatives Phebe Wilbur, Alice M. Gidley, Horace
S. Foster, Emma T. Oliver, Joseph E. Meyers,
Emma Foster and Henry T. Gidley. The clerk is
directed to furnish them with a copy of this
minute referred on behalf of the meeting and
they are requested to report their attendance to
the next Quarterly Mtg. No further business
coming before the meeting we conclude,
by uniting in the 7mo. 1 paragraph.
Elizabeth G. Wilbur. Clerk

1932 At Sandwich Fraternity Bldg. & Friends Lodge at
7 Pm. pursuant to Postponement from the 2nd to the 7th.
1932. By the consent of every Fraternity and
Fraternity Lodge the time the Special
Meeting was Published & Notified J.
Foster, Irving E. Foster, Howard J. Foster, Joseph
E. Pierce, Jessie L. Foster, Alice M. Lindsey and
Jonathan A. Perkins. Who are all present.
The President elect having moved beyond the
limits of this Fraternity We are unable to
officiate Millicent J. Foster to the position
for the remainder of this year. Sandwich
Fraternity Bldg. informs us that the Trustees for-
feiture Bldg. requested the Removal of this Lodge
for the Reconstruction of the said Building,
hence this meeting is Convened immediately
for Reconsideration about the Fraternity Bldg. After
consideration this meeting feels it Proper.
The Reconsideration to the Fraternity Bldg. and ——— be-
cancelled at the first Session right Now.
The Duties have been read bringing to our
minds our accountability to live as in the
Primitive Light followed day by day. Brethren
have promised to officiate as Officers for the Fra-
ternity Bldg. are felt to be most helpful and
Judicious. Pray for prosperity by Grace.
No further business claiming our attention
the Lodge stands Adjourning to meet on
the 10 Pm. if permitted

Elizabeth J. Foster Clerk

1932.
10 mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends Held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 1st of the 10 mo. 1932. The meeting is informed by the accounts from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings that the representatives to the meeting are Henry C. Foster, Anna Foster, Joseph E. Sowers, Ruby C. Foster. Phebe Wilbur Alice W. Gidley and Harry S. Goodwin all present but one. The queries have been read causing a deep searching of heart and a renewed desire we believe, to know the Master's will. We have been reminded today that the cry will be heard to us and Thy ear open to it if we will be prayerful. We appoint Anna Foster, Alice W. Gidley and Mary E. Foster a committee to suggest the names of two Friends for clerk and assistant clerk to serve the meeting for next year and report to our next meeting. No further business coming to our attention, we conclude, purposing to meet in the First month if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur. Clerk

1933

1 mo. At Sandwich Quarterly meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 7th of the First mo. 1933. The clerk being absent the assistant clerk was asked to serve in her place. Alice Gidley was appointed assistant clerk for the day. The meeting is informed by the accounts from Nantucket and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings that the representatives to this meeting are Anna Foster, Henry C. Foster, Horace B. Foster, Joseph Sowers, Elizabeth G. Wilbur Alice W. Gidley and Harry S. Goodwin. We are

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12mo. present except two for whom absence satisfactory reasons have been given. Information from Nantucket Mo. Mtg. tells of the discontinuance of Sharon Particular Meeting because of the removal of the Friends who made up that Mtg. The Quarterly Meeting will forward this information to the yearly Meeting. The Queries have been read at this time. Their searching questions bring to us afresh our responsibilities as Christians in a troubled world. May we all find as the year progresses the strength to lead a better life as these admonitions point the way.

Anna Foster reported for the committee appointed at the last meeting to bring forward names of Friends for clerk and assistant clerk. Elizabeth G. Wilbur was suggested for clerk and Millicent S. Foster for assistant clerk. These suggestions are satisfactory to the meeting, and they are appointed to serve for the ensuing year or until further appointment. No further business appearing we conclude purposing to meet at the usual time in Fourth Month if so permitted.

Millicent S. Foster
Clerk for the day.

4mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at Mo. Particular, Transcendental the 1st of the 4mo. 1933. By the accounts forwarded by Nantucket and Dartmouth Mo. Mtgs. of Friends it appears the representatives to this meeting are from N. Foster, Henry C. Foster, Mary E. Foster, Phebe Wilbur, Marian B. Gordon and Elizabeth G. Wilbur who are all present. The assistant clerk is not present and Miss M. Sidley is appointed to serve in her place for the day. We have given our attention to the reading of the Queries. These with the loving and

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4 mo. searching testimonies to which we have listened we hope will help strengthen us to lead more dedicated lives as Truth - which is the revealed will of God - shows us our duty day by day. The Preparatory Queries have been read also one from Nantucket and Dartmouth Mo. Meetings. We forward a summary of those answers with some statistics and items of interest to the Yearly Mtg. by Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Horace B. Foster, Henry C. Foster, Mary E. Foster, Alice W. Gidley and Henry T. Gidley who appointed representatives. The clerk is directed to furnish them with a copy of this minute signed on behalf of the Mtg. and they are requested to report their attendance to our next meeting. No further business coming to our notice we conclude - purposing to meet in the Seventh Mo. if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur, clerk

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At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg. of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 1st of the Seventh Mo. 1933. The accounts coming to this meeting from Nantucket and Dartmouth Mo. Mtgs. inform us the representatives to this meeting are Elizabeth Foster, Millicent S. Foster, Horace B. Foster, Alice W. Gidley, Dora Tucker and Harry S. Gordon who are all present. The representatives to the Yearly Mtg. were all present at one or more sessions. The Queries have been read and received close attention. We believe they must cause us to question again and again whether we are doing our best to live up to their requirements. We have been reminded that "Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin", and that "the Spirit of God comes to us if we open the door". The business having

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been finished we conclude purposing to meet in the 10 mo. if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur. clerk

10 mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Mtg. of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 7th of the 10 mo. 1933. We are informed by accounts from Nantucket and Dartmouth Mo. Mtgs. that the representatives to this meeting are Elizabeth Foster, William O. Foster, Joseph E. Myers, Elizabeth E. Gidley and Phebe Wilbur who are present except one for whose absence a satisfactory reason has been given.

We have listened to the reading of the Queries which call our attention to duties and responsibilities as well as our privileges.

We are deeply conscious at this time of the loss to our meeting in the passing of our dear friend Horace B. Foster. His consistent Christian life and the beauty of his loving spirit in our meetings are a precious memory. Although our meeting for worship has been a silent one it was felt that we were blessed with the presence of our heavenly Father's love which gives us fresh courage to press on our way. We appoint Henry T. Gidley, Alice W. Gidley and William O. Foster a committee to suggest the names of two friends to act as clerk and assistant clerk for the ensuing year and report to our next meeting. No further business coming to our attention we conclude purposing to meet in the first month if permitted.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur. Clerk

1934 1mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 6th of the first mo. 1934. The committee appointed at our last Quarterly Meeting to propose the names of two Friends to serve as clerk and assistant clerk of this meeting informs us they are united in proposing the reappointment of Elizabeth G. Wilbur for clerk and Anna Foster for assistant clerk.
This being satisfactory to the Meeting they are to serve for the ensuing year or until others are appointed in their places.
By the accounts from Sandwich and Dartmouth Monthly Mtgs. it appears the representatives to this meeting are Henry C. Foster Elizabeth Foster, Anna Foster, Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Marian B. Gozzaniga and Alice W. Gidley, they are present except one, and for her absence a satisfactory is given.
We have listened to the two Queries, these always raise in our minds the serious question are we doing our best to maintain the beautiful standard of Christian living that they suggest and that it should be our constant endeavor to do. Our Meeting at this time is not as large as common, but we believe our coming together has been rewarded with a measure of Divine love for which we desire to be thankful.
Nothing further claiming our attention we conclude by subscribing to them in the 4th mo of Germantown.

Elizabeth G. Wilbur, Clerk

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4 mo. At Sandwich Quarterly Meeting of Friends held at North Dartmouth, Massachusetts the 4 of the 4 mo. 1934. We find by the accounts from Industrial and Dartmouth Monthly Meetings that the representatives named to attend this meeting are Henry C. Foster, Jane M. Foster, Mary E. Foster, Joseph E. Myers, Phebe Wilbur and Henry S. Worrilow who are all present. The Supplementary Queries have been read with answers from the two monthly meetings, also a summary which we forward to to the Yearly Meeting by Elizabeth H. Wilbur, Mary E. Foster, Jenny T. Hadley, Anna Foster and Henry C. Foster whom we appoint as representatives and they are to report their attendance to our next meeting. We have received and read a Memorial of Horace B. Foster a number of Testimonies &c. &c. It is satisfactory to us and the clerk is directed to forward it to the Meeting for Sufferings for its consideration. The Queries have been read reminding us of our duties and privileges. May we profit by their consideration. No other business coming before us we conclude, keeping to meet in the Seventh mo. if permitted.

Elizabeth H. Wilbur Clerk

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Minutes, 12mo., 1863, to 1mo., 1934.

Treasurer's accounts, 1847-1901.

[See also Rhode Island and Sandwich Quarterly Meeting - Meeting of Ministers and Elders. Minutes, 4mo., 1935, to 7mo., 1944]